

Hint Steady Advance by French May Be Prelude to Great Allied Offensive

"WORK OR FIGHT" CITY HALL NEWS

State Law in Force Today—
Many Males Registered in This City

Early Afternoon Registration Here Was: Unemployed, 103; Doubtful, 139

Today is work or fight day in Lowell and men between 18 and 50 are observing the occasion with due formality. Two offices to take care of men who are not employed and those who believe that they are employed in non-essential occupations were kept going at topspeed all day from the time they opened up for business at 9 o'clock this morning.

The "biggest business" was at the war work headquarters in Merrimack street, due, no doubt, to the central location.

Up until 12.30 this noon there had been registered there 73 men who admitted that they were unemployed. One hundred and thirteen others appeared and said that they were working but they were in doubt as to whether their occupation was essential in the light of the law. The officials at the registration office did not attempt to define this phase of the matter, but simply gave them a certificate showing that they had presented themselves for registration. They were not actually registered, however.

At the board of trade rooms the volume of visitors was not as heavy, but it was sufficiently so to keep the corps of clerks stationed there on the jump every minute. At this office 30 men admitted that they were unemployed, while 26 were uncertain as to their occupation being essential.

This made the total up to early afternoon as follows: Unemployed, 103; doubtful, 139.

Registration continued at both offices until 5 o'clock. The law stated that registration should take place today, but if a man has a good excuse for not being able to register today, he will undoubtedly be accepted tomorrow.

John M. O'Donoghue directed the registration in Lowell and he was kept busy all day answering questions from a hundred sources about as many different phases of the law.

Miss Dorothy S. Leeds was in charge of the work at the war work headquarters and when it became evident that this was to be more popular of the two offices, Director O'Donoghue called in the reserves and also took part in the work himself.

SERG. McFARLAND DIES AT HOSPITAL

Sergt. Dewey McFarland of Camp Devens died this morning at St. John's hospital as a result of injuries received in a motorcycle accident, which occurred in Lawrence street last evening. Two young women, Misses Susie and Nettie Dumas, who were with the sergeant at the time of the accident, are confined to the hospital, suffering from slight scalp wounds.

The motorcycle containing Sergt. McFarland and the two young women was being driven through Lawrence street at about 10 o'clock last night, when upon approaching a point near the home of the young women, 189 Lawrence street, the machine skidded and crashed into an electric car, the occupants of the cycle being thrown forcibly to the pavement. The ambulance was summoned and the three injured people were rushed to the hospital, where it was found that the sergeant was suffering from a fractured skull, while the women had received scalp wounds. The motorcycle was badly wrecked.

IT IS WELL enough in time of peace to prepare for war, but some folks wisely when a fight is on, prepare for peace.

If you have a Savings Account with this Bank, you may add to it **EVERY MONTH** and each addition will commence on interest the last day of month. Soon you will be equipped for War, yet prepared for Peace.

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Gen. Petain's Forces Push On and Capture Longpont

French Give Huns on 'Westerly Side of Marne Salient Little Rest—Smash Enemy Lines and Make Big Advance—Feeling Out Operations on British and French Front Soon to be Followed by Attacks

Gen. Petain is giving the Germans on the westerly side of the Marne salient little rest in their positions east of the forest of Villers-Colleget. Last night his troops again drove in on this front and made substantial progress.

French Capture Longpont

The most tangible result reported from this latest fighting is the capture of the village of Longpont, to the outskirts of which the French had pushed in their advance on Wednesday night. A farm in this neighborhood also was taken.

The French lines were likewise driven ahead in the Chavigny farm district, north of Longpont. A forward push also was given the line in the area south of Longpont, east of Faverolles.

Important Attacks May Follow

The extension of the front under attack to the Faverolles region is noteworthy as showing that the process of straightening out the line between the Aisne and the Marne is being carried still further south and is threatening the local salient held by the Germans between the Longpont district and the American sector northwest of Chateau-Thierry. The series of operations carried out by Gen. Petain on this front during the present week has been generally regarded as of merely local importance, designed to straighten the line and fortify it against the expected renewal of the German offensive. The possibility is not overlooked, however, that these may be a prelude to more important attacks.

Artillery Active North of Verdun

On the assumption that the Germans, if they decide to open their attack on a new front when they resume their offensive will strike somewhere between Rheims and Lorraine, some interest may be attached to the report in the French official statement today that the enemy artillery is displaying rather marked activity on the front northwest of Verdun within this area.

Americans Hunt Germans

Between the Aisne and the Marne French patrols have penetrated enemy positions near Bussieres, south of Corvey, the scene of the latest French gain which the Germans have made no attempt to dispute. On the Marne front, American troops have routed a German patrol which attempted a raid. On this front as well as on most of the British front from Ypres to the Somme the weather has been rainy and stormy.

Capture of American Planes

Aerial operations also have suffered from the unfavorable atmospheric conditions and artillery activity has decreased. Berlin claims that five airplanes out of an American squadron of six which attempted to raid Coblenz fell into German hands, the crew being made prisoners. British airmen have dropped bombs on Odenburg, a manufacturing town southwest of Karlsruhe, Germany.

American aviators in the Toul sector have accounted for two enemy airplanes.

Austrians Still in Retreat

Austrian forces in eastern Albania continue to retire before the pressure of the advancing Franco-Italian detachments. In the Tomorica valley, the enemy is fleeing northward before the French, who have reached the valley from the east and occupied several villages. Italian troops on the west have occupied the commanding peak of Glunaka, capturing 250 prisoners. This height commands the district between Berat and the Tomorica.

Report Bolshevik Victory

Bolshevik troops are reported having gained successes over the Czech-Slovak troops in eastern Russia and Siberia. It is claimed the Czechs have been driven from towns on the Volga, both northeast and southeast of Moscow. General Muraviev, commander of the Bolshevik forces operating

SERIOUS MUTINY LICENSE REVOKED

Austrian Troops in Serbia Suppressed After Battle With Machine Guns

Broke Into Rebellion Because of Bad Food—Many Officers Killed

CORFU, July 12.—A serious mutiny among the Austrian troops in one of the occupied districts of Serbia, is announced by the Serbian press here. The garrison at Kragujevatz, the former Serbian arsenal, broke into rebellion because of bad food, the statement declares, and many of the officers were killed. The mutiny was suppressed after a battle in which machine guns and artillery were freely used.

OBSERVANCE OF FRENCH NATIONAL HOLIDAY

An important meeting of Carillon council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A. was held last evening with President Alexander Thurber in the chair. The meeting was largely attended and the most important item of business brought to the attention of the assembly was the question of a celebration in observance of the French national holiday next Sunday. The question was discussed at every angle and it was decided that the time in which to prepare for a celebration was too brief, and it was finally voted to instruct one of the members, Joseph F. Montminy, to call on Mayor Thompson today and request him to deliver an address on the South common Sunday evening and also to secure, if possible, the services of another prominent speaker.

Onesime Tremblay and Louis J. Cunniff were appointed delegates to the district convention of the union, which will be held at Springfield, Oct. 15 and 16, and Aime Plourde and A. Verville were elected alternates. J. U. Morin tendered his resignation as treasurer of the council and A. Verville was elected to fill the vacancy.

LOWELL DOCTORS GO TO FORT OGLETHORPE

Dr. Joseph Kearney and Dr. Archibald R. Gardner, both well known as practitioners in this city, will leave Lowell tonight to report for duty in the medical reserve corps at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. The doctors recently received their commissions in the corps and were instructed to await orders to report for duty.

CAR STOLEN AT THE POLICE STATION

Some believe that the parking place near the police station in Market st. is a safe place to park an automobile, but the officials of the United States Cartridge Co. are not of the same opinion and they have reason to be a little pessimistic, for yesterday afternoon one of their automobiles, a five-passenger Ford touring car, was stolen from that spot and the thief and the machine are still at large.

The automobile was parked near the police station in the early part of the afternoon and a few minutes later a man came along, gave the automobile crank a couple of twists, starting the engine and then after comfortably seating himself at the wheel, backed the car out and disappeared.

"The police haven't any way of knowing who's who, so far as cars are concerned," said a police officer today, "and it is not their business to ask every man who enters a car if the car belongs to him. It is up to the owners to look after their cars and the simplest way is to lock them."

COUSINS ENLIST IN COAST ARTILLERY

Harold H. Cox and Arthur Cox, cousins, enlisted at the local regular army recruiting station this morning and were forwarded to Boston for the coast artillery corps. They lived at 13 Dutton street.

Abram A. Fishman, Lawrence, landman for electrician, radio, and Royal T. Mc Cloughrey, 770 Bridge street, seaman, 2nd class, were the navy station's contributions.

The minimum height requirements for the regular army service has been advanced from 61 inches to 63 inches. However, the weight and eye requirements have been reduced a little.

MADAM JEFFRIES

Madam Jeffries says: "I am a great believer in nature as a cure for many ailments and Vitalitas being a natural remedy I took it for indigestion and rheumatism. The results are today I am cured of both. I have seen the time when I dared not eat bread for if I did I would almost die from pain. I have tried everything, but it took Vitalitas to do the work." It gave me strength from the start. "Madam Jeffries continued, saying: "I could tell the public a lot more about this great remedy, but it would take up a lot of space, but if the public is interested enough to do so, they may call on me personally and I will be glad to explain more fully. My home address is 6 North Ashland street, Worcester."

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The Strongest Distillate
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The Oldest Bank in Lowell

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The best way to cure summer complaint is to prevent it. Keep on hand a supply of the famous, "No cure, No pay."

DOWS' DIARRHOEA AND CHOLERA SYRUP

and Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, and Cholera Infantum will never trouble you. Dows' is sure prevention and sure cure. It fails to cure, your money back. That's double insurance against risks.

Your druggist has it or ought to. 25c.; 60c.

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LOWELL, MASS.

WISDOM

"I will say, too, that the highest wisdom and the highest genius have been invariably accompanied by cheerfulness."—Peacock.

Then there can be neither wisdom nor genius of high order when tooth trouble is present.

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Business Men's Luncheon
12 to 2 o'clock, 50 cents. Plenty of good music. Coolest dining room in the city, and good service.
Special Sunday dinner, 1 to 2.25 o'clock.

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CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS
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MACHINISTS!

Special meeting for members of Lodge 138, I. A. of M., employed by U. S. Cartridge Co., Saturday, July 13th, at 8 p. m., at Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street.

Signed,
JOHN J. CARROLL, Pres.
PARKER F. MURPHY, Secy.

GEORGE LARRABEE APPOINTED MANAGER OF THE RICHARD CLOTHES SHOP

George C. Larrabee, one of the best known and most experienced clothing men in Lowell, has been appointed manager of the Richard Clothes shop, 69 Central street, and has already assumed his duties in that capacity. Mr. Larrabee was formerly connected with the firm of Larrabee & Davidson, and has been in the clothing business in Lowell for the past 25 years. This long experience makes him familiar with the wants of local people and he assures them that the stock at the Richard shop will always be kept up to the highest standards of modern patterns, dependable goods and moderate prices.

Mr. Larrabee will be assisted by John Mahoney, likewise an experienced salesman, who has been in the clothing business in Lowell for several years. Both men are confident that they can supply the demands of the most fastidious at the Richard shop and they invite their friends to meet them there tomorrow or any time later.

THOMAS MCKENNA, ONE OF R. I. DEMOCRATIC LEADERS, IS DEAD

PAWTUCKET, R. I., July 12.—Thomas McKenna, for many years one of the democratic leaders in the state senate, died at Valley Falls today.

Lowell, Friday, July 12, 1918

FORBIDDEN TO OPERATE MOTOR VEHICLE

Special to The Sun
STATE HOUSE, Boston, July 12.—Frank I. Bieler, secretary of the Massachusetts highway commission, made this statement today:

"My attention has been called to articles printed in the Lowell papers on Tuesday, purporting to be a denial by one Thomas Marsden of West Peterboro, N. H., that this commission has forbidden him to operate motor vehicles on the Massachusetts highways, and asserting that he holds a license for such operation.

"I cannot believe that Mr. Marsden has been correctly quoted, for his alleged statement is entirely at variance with the facts.

"We have in this office a United States postoffice registry receipt, signed by Mr. Marsden, showing that on Monday of this week he received by registered mail an order of this commission forbidding him to operate motor vehicles in Massachusetts. It seems incredible that on the following day he should deny the receipt of such an order.

"The records of this office do not indicate that any license has been issued to Mr. Marsden.

"But wholly regardless of whether he has had a license or not, the commission has forbidden him to operate motor vehicles of any kind on Massachusetts highways, and it will not

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This consists of the vital elements of beef blood and is a food tonic that aids remarkably in quickly building up strength.

12 oz. bottle - \$1.15
6 oz. bottle - .70

Ask your druggist

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BOVININE CO.
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New York

be well for him if he attempts to violate the order of the commission."

Marsden was involved in an accident June 29, which resulted in the death of John H. Roach of Lowell. As it is the custom in all such cases, the commission immediately notified him that he must keep off the highways in this state pending an investigation by the commission to determine whether he was guilty of serious fault in connection with the accident.

Mr. Marsden's Story

Mr. Marsden called at The Sun office the day after the appearance of an article, under Boston date, and in which it was stated that the highway commission had forbidden him to drive motor vehicles in this state and that he had not had a license.

Mr. Marsden denied emphatically that the highway commission had forbidden him to drive motor vehicles in this state and he was just as emphatic in his statement that he had a license.

His statement was published in The Sun on Tuesday and the foregoing article tells what the secretary of the commission has to say about it. He declares that Marsden was forbidden to operate motor vehicles in Massachusetts.

U. S. PLANES CAPTURED

Berlin Claims Five American
Machines Taken—Crews
Held Prisoners

BERLIN, via London, July 12.—Five American airplanes of a squadron of six which started out to raid Coblenz fell into the hands of the Germans, according to the announcement from general headquarters yesterday. The crews were taken prisoner.

The text of the statement reads: "Throughout Thursday there was moderate fighting activity, which revived frequently in the evening. A strong advance by the enemy north-east of Bethune was repulsed.

"There has been lively artillery activity between the Aisne and the Marne. Partial attacks launched by the enemy from the Forest of Villers-Cotterets pushed back our posts in the Savieres region.

"Five American airplanes of a squadron of six, intending a raid on Coblenz, fell into our hands Thursday. The crews were taken prisoner.

CHILDREN'S PLAY ASSET OF THE NATION

"To be strong for victory, the nation must let her children play," says Charles Frederick Weller, who as associate secretary of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, is aiding the recreation drive started by the children's bureau and the woman's committee of the council of national defense.

"No time nor money can be spared from war winning activities. But the winning of the war depends on man power, and man power cannot be sustained in any nation without health and wholesomeness in the children. Far worse than exhausting America's financial capital would be the exhaustion of child life, her man power capital.

"England and France began as America has been tempted to begin, by letting the children pay too heavily for the war, in child labor, increased delinquency, overtaxed nerves, weakened bodies and premature deaths. But England and France are already turning to lift war's burden from the children by giving them a chance to play. England began in January, 1917, granting government funds to local play centers. Can America do less?

"In this summer vacation time, especially with schools closed, fathers and elder brothers called to war and many mothers to labor—there is urgent need to give the boys and girls an American square deal—to 'keep the old folks from sitting on the children's safety valve of play,' as Jacob Riis would say it.

The recreation drive of July and August is to culminate in 'Patriotic play week,' Sept. 1 to 7, 1918, in which the work of 11,000,000 women in organizing recreation in 10,000 communities will come to a close.

WAR BOARD TO PASS ON L WAGES

BOSTON, July 12.—Union carmen of the Boston Elevated Railway Co., now under state control and trustees of the railway, have agreed to submit demands of the men for wage increases to the national war labor board, it was announced today. The men, however, refused to arbitrate the nine-in-eleven hour law. The new wage scale when fixed will not become effective until May, 1919.

24 KILLED

Fatalities In Airplane Accidents In Three Weeks

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Twenty-four fatalities in airplane accidents at flying fields in the United States for the three-week period ending July 6, were announced yesterday by the war department.

The United States
Food Administrator
says: "The gardens are
the food reserve corps.
Eat fresh vegetables
and save the wheat for
the soldiers on the
line."

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE



More Silk Taffeta Dresses

\$15.00 \$18.50

Several new lots of these dresses have come in this week. Excellent quality of taffeta in navy blue, copenhagen, taupe and black. These are the newest mid-summer models and are proving to be big sellers. Complete range of sizes for women and misses. Styles that you will surely like at

\$15, \$18.50 and \$25.50

Navy Blue and Black Suits

A nice assortment of black and blue suits in plain tailored styles. Made of all wool materials, best of workmanship and the models suitable for summer and fall wear. These suits are marked \$5.00 to \$10.00 lower than present prices on similar suits. Summer prices

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Suits will be very high this fall, so take advantage of this summer sale.



BIG LOT OF

WHITE SKIRTS

\$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.00, \$7.50

We are selling hundreds of these Wash Skirts at prices that are much under other stores as we contracted for thousands of yards of material early in the year, the models to be selected throughout the season.

A special lot of Wash Skirts in gabardine, Bedford cord and wash satin are marked \$3.98. Regular prices of these skirts were \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$12.50. Lots of styles in regular sizes and a big variety of models in extra sizes designed especially for large women.

ODD LOTS TO CLOSE OUT

\$2.98 Chambray House Dresses—All sizes, light blue only, can be worn as a house dress or uniform, cheaper than wholesale price. Special at \$1.98

Wash Coatees—Of gabardine and bedford cord, white, copenhagen and rose; regular price \$5.00. Marked down to \$3.98

One Black Satin Sport Coat—Made of Duchess satin, white collar and sleeves; regular price \$25.00. Reduced to \$18.50

One Black Taffeta Coatee—Extra quality taffeta; regular price \$18.50. Marked down to \$12.50

Two Silk Coatees—Colors, violet and gold; regular price \$12.50. Marked down to \$8.98

Taffeta Dresses—Made of extra quality taffeta, colors khaki, tan and light gray; regular prices \$15.00 and \$18.50. Marked down to \$10.00

Light Colored Suits—About 25 light colored and check suits, mostly tans and rookies, some copenhagen; were \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00; now marked down to \$15.00

Mixture Coats—Suitable for motoring and cool evenings; were \$25. Marked down to \$18.50

Misses' Coats—15 Misses' Poplin Coats, only misses' sizes; were \$15.00, \$18.50 and \$22.50. Marked down to \$10.00

Silk Pongee Dresses—In misses' and women's sizes, natural shades; were \$12.50 and \$15. Marked down to \$10.00

JERSEY BATHING SUITS

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The Jersey Bathing Suit is very popular this year both for the swimmers and sand bathers as they are superior in comfort and freedom. Shown in a range of styles and colorings.

Jersey Suits for the girl or miss and the little tots 6 and 8 years.

Separate Tights in black, either cotton or wool.

Jersey Suits \$2.98 to \$15

Tights 69c to \$5.00

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Of Imported French Voile, Batiste, Linen and Organdie Muslin that are new and most attractive. Dainty styles in tailored and sport effects, in white and colors to be worn with white skirts. A nice variety of styles that are matchless values at

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and \$5.00



The United States
Food Administrator
says: "We must build
up reserves of food in
France for the Allies
and the increasing number
of our boys. You
don't need wheat—they
do."

DARK GEORGETTE WAISTS

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WORTH \$5.00 AND \$7.50

A nice assortment of dark Georgette Waists is offered at an unusual small price. These waists are worth \$5.00 and \$7.50 but on account of their being dark colors we bought them much under price. Embroidered and tailored styles that will be good this fall. Also some light shades in georgette at the same price.

WHITE GEORGETTE WAISTS

\$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00

A big assortment of White Georgette Waists in the very latest styles. Semi-tailored, beaded, embroidered, side-button effects, slip-ons and round necks; white, flesh and colors. All sizes.

CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS

More new models in Crepe de Chine Waists arrived this week. Colors white and flesh, all sizes to 46. Special at \$3.98
Waist Dept. Second Floor

SPECIAL MILLINERY VALUES



MILLINERY STILL SELLING AT MARK DOWN PRICES

Trimmed Hats, all black, black with colored trimmings and colors, at greatly reduced prices. Regular prices \$4.98 to \$10. Marked down to \$2.98 and \$5.00

Untrimmed Hats, regular prices \$1.98 to \$3.98. Marked down to 98c and \$1.98

Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats, regular price \$1.98. Marked down to 98c

Palmer Street

Centre Aisle

SPECIAL SALE

Percal Madras
15,000 YARDS

Full pieces, 36 inches wide in large assortment of very pretty stripes, light ground, suitable for house dresses, children's dresses and men's shirts. These goods are worth 42c per yard. Special value 29c Per Yard

Chevy Chase Suiting, 32 inches wide, a very slightly fabric, remnants in convenient lengths, dark blue only; worth 39c per yard. Special value 25c Per Yard

Black Gabardine, 32 inches, just received 15 pieces of this desirable fabric, the very thing for that every day skirt; regular price 50c per yard. Special value 35c Per Yard

Palmer Street

Centre Aisle

SPECIAL BALANCE OF OUR RUBBER SOLE PUMPS

VALUES \$4.00, \$5.00 AND \$5.50 GRADES

LOT 1—Genuine Russia Calf Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, B, C and D widths, good sizes.

LOT 2—White Canvas Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, good sizes.

LOT 3—Black Ooze Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, few A, B, C and D.

LOT 4—White Nubuck Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, first quality.

Also a few Fancy Rimmed Sport Oxfords included in this lot.

SALE PRICE

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Ask to see our Adjustable Lock Lace Tips. No raveled ends to bother with, just the thing for invisible eyelets; have just the right length laces, cannot come off; last a lifetime; for black and tan shoes. Set of four 25c

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P&Q Stocks
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There are plenty Blue Serges, lots of neat worsteds.

Homespuns galore,—tweeds, cassimeres and undressed worsteds—in every conceivable size, in the P&Q Shop, and the prices are

\$15
\$20

because you are buying direct from the Maker—And you save \$5 to \$10 on Every Garment.

For the man with ideas ultra Quality in Clothes we recommend P&Q Supreme Clothes at \$25—You can't find better ones at \$40.

We give the values and get the business

The P&Q Shop
CLOTHES FOR MEN

48 CENTRAL STREET
Opp. Middle Street

SERVICE AT COST

The Bay State Has Not Yet
Accepted Bill as Passed by
the Legislature

Candidates Galore for the
\$5000 a Year Job if the
Act Is Accepted

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, July 12.—Although the Bay State Street Railway company has not as yet accepted the public control and service-at-cost bill passed by the recent legislature, gossip is rife as to the probable appointees in case the act is eventually accepted, and there is no dearth of candidates willing to undertake the task of putting the road back on its feet, at \$5000 per year for 10 years.

There is one man whom Governor McCall would very much like to make chairman of the board of trustees—Charles Francis Adams of Concord. The chief executive exercised upon Mr. Adams all of his powers of persuasion in an effort to secure his acceptance of the chairmanship of the Boston Elevated board, but he refused to take the place, and there is no reason to believe that he will look upon the Bay State chairmanship with any more favor.

Mr. Adams' name practically completes the list of those whom the office has thus far sought. All the others, like Barkis, are willing.

The only person who is at present believed certain of a place on the board is Samuel L. Powers of Newton, a former congressman, and, like Governor McCall, a graduate of Dartmouth. Mr. Powers was slated to be chairman of the Elevated board, after Mr. Adams had thrice declined the place, but failed to land the prize when Greenville S. McFarland's obstinacy made it necessary to throw the entire slate overboard.

Another who has been casting long eyes in the direction of the governor's office is John N. Cole of Andover, former speaker of the house of representatives, a defeated candidate for lieutenant governor, and now chairman of the commission on waterways and public lands. Mr. Cole laid the foundation for his candidacy last winter, when the public service commission was considering one of the many Bay State petitions for relief. The Andover statesman went before the commission and unfolded an elaborate scheme which he guaranteed would have the effect of making the company almost overnight a paying proposition, and was much peeved when the commission failed to adopt it. Now, in order to prove the soundness of his views, he would like to become a public trustee with authority to try them out. Unfortunately for his aspirations, however, his weekly publication has declared for the renomination of Senator Weeks, and he is not likely to meet with favor in the governor's office.

Other candidates include Arthur G. Wadleigh, city solicitor of Lynn, who acted as spokesman for the "allied counsel" during all of the rate hearings; E. Gerry Brown of Brockton, another prominent figure in those hearings; Charles A. Russell of Gloucester, until recently a member of the public service commission, but who was dropped in accordance with the legislative edict that the commission shall consist of three, instead of five members; Wm. S. Felton of Salem, long a member of the republican state committee; Edgar J. Rich of Winchester, formerly connected with the Boston & Maine railroad; David A. Curtin of Winthrop; Walter S. Kelley of Lawrence, and Maurice Kane of Whitman. HOTT.

LOWELL OWLS PLAN TO RUN WAR FUND BENEFIT CARNIVAL

In order to take care of their brethren who are in the service during the cold winter months, the members of the local Fraternal Order of Owls have arranged for a war fund benefit carnival to be conducted on the Lakeview avenue grounds during the week of July 15, and the Williams Standard shows have been engaged to fill the bill.

The Williams Standard shows is re-

ANNUAL JULY SALE



DON'T WAIT

My new fall goods are on my tables for your inspection. I have more of them than you ever saw in a tailoring establishment in your life. They are here right now for your selection and the picking is the very best, as to prices. No house on earth can buy goods and linings at present market value and compete with my offerings, while they last.

You may place your order now, with the understanding you don't want it for say two months. Take advantage of this sale and get first pick. Pay for your garment when you get it. This keeps my men busy in the dull season and saves congestion later on. Union tailors work eight hours a day only.

(Signed)

MITCHELL.

MEN OF LOWELL—Give ear to this unusual event. With high prices surging over the land, and invading every avenue of trade, I am forced to take heroic action to make this sale the bargain event it has always been in the past nine years.

With the approach of the tailors' dull month of August, my problem is to keep my force as busy as possible. With that end in view, I figure to give more for the money than any man can reasonably expect any place in this city.

Whole-heartedly and with firm resolve, I sacrifice profits for this annual event **REGARDLESS OF ADVANCING PRICES**, irrespective of market conditions. This July sale must maintain its past reputation at all costs.

TODAY and SATURDAY
My Annual July Sale

Here is the largest, newest, highest grade stock in men's fabrics in the city. Thousands of yards, hundreds of styles, new and fresh this season. **Thirty Full Pieces of Wanskuk Serges**, ordered months ago and just received from the commission house, included in this sale.

A WARNING—Look out for cotton mixtures next fall. This fabric will sell, around thirty-five dollars a suit. It looks good—handles well and contains about 30 per cent. cotton. I am not buying this class of merchandise, not while my present stock lasts.

I ask you to look me over at your earliest convenience and pick out what you want for the balance of this season, also your fall suit and overcoat. This sale is rich in the things you want, Blue Serges, Gray Worsteds, Green Homespuns, Silk Mixtures, Black Worsteds, Pencil Stripes and Novelties. Even the Blacks, Blues and Dark Staples are included in this sale.

MITCHELL, THE TAILOR 31 Merrimack Square, Lowell

puted to be the biggest and best company of its kind now touring the country. It consists of a main show, 12 side shows, three riding devices, 40 concessions, a free act and a feature band. It was only after a careful inspection of various shows that the committee in charge decided upon the Williams Standard shows, which is the only outside company allowed to perform in Canada this year. The company is now on its way to Eastern Canada, where it will perform at a seven weeks' fair. Lowell amusement seekers are assured of a treat if they take in the performances of the Williams Standard shows.

LIQUOR PROCURER AND TWO SOLDIERS ARRESTED IN FLETCHER STREET

John Alexander was arrested by Sergt. C. Stanwood Morrill of the Camp Devens military police and one of his associates in Fletcher street last night and was booked on a charge of furnishing liquor to soldiers. Two sol-

diers were also arrested by the sergeant and his comrade.

Before the men of the military police leave the camp it is impressed upon them that no frameup tactics must be employed by them. When civilians offer to obtain liquor for M. P.'s they merely answer no and wait until they can see the man giving liquor to other than an M. P.

AERIAL VOYAGE

King and Queen of Belgium Back Home

PARIS, July 12 (Havas Agency).—The king and queen of Belgium, who had been visiting England, have returned to France by the same means which they used in crossing the channel to England—through the air. The return passage, the newspapers say, lasted 30 minutes. The royal couple said they were delighted with the experiences of the aerial voyage.

HUN WAR BONDS

Busch Family of St. Louis Said to Have Invested at Least \$1,000,000

\$100,000,000 Subscribed in This Country Before U. S. Entered the War

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Busch family of St. Louis bought at least \$1,000,000 worth of the German war bonds which the government believes were sold in this country for propaganda and for the purchase of the New York Evening Mail and other newspapers, according to a statement issued last night by Alfred Becker, deputy state attorney general. Mr. Becker added that probably more than \$100,000,000 worth of the bonds had been sold in the United States.

Mr. Becker emphasized the point that, while the United States was still neutral the Imperial German government, without a cent of expense to itself, established a fund to "seduce part of the American press with good American gold, exchanged for mere scraps of paper."

Many Americans, he said, invested in the German bonds before this country went to war in the same manner that they now are buying Liberty bonds, thinking that the money was to be used for the purchase of munitions and war supplies, and not suspecting their dollars were to be used against their own country.

The Adolphus Busch estate, A. A. Busch and Mrs. Lillie Busch were among the subscribers in America to the German war loans, he declared, adding that when Mrs. Busch was examined recently by the government agents on her arrival in this country she had disclaimed any knowledge of the alleged purchase of the Evening Mail.

Capt. David A. Henkes, who was dismissed from the United States army by court-martial for wishing to resign after being sent to France and who was sentenced to 25 years at Fort Leavenworth, used part of his army pay to buy German bonds, according to Mr. Becker.

After asserting that money raised on the bonds was eventually deposited to the credit of Dr. Heinrich F. Albert and Count von Bernstorff, Mr. Becker said in his statement:

"In February, 1917, just before von Bernstorff sailed, he sent more than \$100,000 to Buenos Aires for the account of the German government."

"Dr. Albert and Count von Bernstorff chipped out from the war loan funds in the Central Trust Co. and other institutions in this city what money they needed for buying newspapers."

"We have not finished with our examinations. All of the evidence we are collecting will go before the grand jury and it is safe to assume there will be more arrests before we get through."

WOMAN'S MISSION CIRCLE

A large attendance was present at the monthly meeting of the Woman's Mission circle, which was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Thomas and Miss Laura Palmer, 73 Hildreth street. An interesting program was presented on "Home Missions" prepared by Miss Palmer. Among those present was Mrs. F. G. Milliken of Melrose, a well known member of this circle. A social hour followed, the Misses Ruth and Harriet Thomas serving refreshments. Vice President Mrs. Harry Swann presided.

The next meeting is to be held the first Wednesday in September.

TENCED FOR STEALING
GERMAN LETTER CARRIER SENT TO COFFEE BEANS

NEW YORK, July 11.—A German letter carrier with a record of 26 years of service in Soemarda was recently sentenced to serve three months in prison for "stealing" 35 coffee beans which had fallen from a parcel post package in the postoffice, says the Berlin Tageblatt.

TOBACCO MARKET IN GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, July 1 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Under the standing caption, "The tobacco market" one finds nowadays in the commercial section of German newspapers announcements like this: Cherry leaves in great demand; market firm.

Beech leaves irregular. Large supplies offered from the Harz mountains. Prices fluctuating between 33 and 38 marks per cwt., according to quality. Well matured hops, 50 to 60 marks per cwt.

Armour's Veribest Coffee

TRADE MARK

You'll like the first cup of Veribest Coffee—and you'll like every cup.

For its richness, its flavor and its freshness are guaranteed by the biggest name in foods. The package bears the Armour Oval Label, mark of first quality. The responsibility of Armour and Company is back of every pound of Veribest Coffee.

Our experts have selected the choicest yields of the best coffee districts. Veribest Coffee is roasted fresh daily. And 385 branch houses distribute to the dealers as needed. You can depend upon getting uniform quality whenever or wherever you buy. Ask for Veribest Coffee at leading groceries and markets.

Berry, Steel-Cut, or Pulverized.

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Try These Oval Label Products

Vegetable (Shortening) Armour's Frankfort Sausage Stockinet Star Ham
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LIGHTENS HOUSEHOLD LABOR

Our book, "The Business of Being a Housewife" is a guide to household thrift; contains economical recipes and valuable information. In writing mention your dealer's name and state if he handles Armour's Oval Label Products. Address Domestic Science Dept., Desk N, Armour & Company, Chicago.



Armour's QUALITY PRODUCTS

Borden's EAGLE BRAND

Remember Tomorrow

Upon baby's health and strength now depends the sturdy growing youngster of tomorrow. Upon proper nutrition now, depends his robust mind and body in later years.

Baby is too precious for you to take chances with his feeding. If nature's own food fails to nourish baby properly, use Borden's Eagle Brand.

It has been standard for sixty years—pure, wholesome, dependable and economical.

BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK COMPANY
Borden Building New York

At all better drug and grocery stores



"Be sure the Eagle is on the label"



SOLDIERS' VOTE
The War Department Cannot
Guarantee Any General
Vote
Soldiers in Active Service
Cannot be Reached Ex-
cept by Mail
(Special to The Sun)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—
Under the new orders issued Massa-
chusetts will not be able to take the

soldiers' vote in France, according to
general interpretation. The war de-
partment in its new ruling on taking
the soldiers' vote in France has made
it plain that such states as have pro-
vided for commissioners to go to
France and take the vote will find
they cannot accomplish that end. The
department states that "where the
state law requires sending of election
commissioners to take the soldiers'
vote the military authorities will place
at the disposal of such commissioners
every assistance that is found to be
compatible with the exigencies of the
military situation," but adds: "In most
instances, however, it will be imprac-
ticable to permit such commissioners
to take the votes." The order also
states that the war department will
not hold itself in any way responsible
for the vote taking, and adds, "it will
not be possible to take the vote of any
soldier who is actively engaged in
military operations unless such soldier

be able to cast his vote by transmit-
ting an executed ballot through the
mails as ordinary correspondence." It
states it will not undertake to forward
to men any ballot blanks or give in-
formation as to how they may be
reached for that purpose, except when
it is advisable to furnish such organ-
ization information to a state if known
to be in some specified organization.
When state laws require an oath to be
taken officers will be permitted to take
such oath but not required to do so.
The permission to do so extends only
in case it can be done without inter-
ference with military operations. The
order states all mail containing bal-
lots will be subject to the customary
censorship and leaves in doubt just
how the terms "engaged in active mil-
itary operations" may be construed. It
makes plain only one thing and that is
that states must provide some other
method of vote taking than by com-
missioners if they want to get the soldier
vote this fall. The department advises
that states follow these instructions as

It has found but few states have passed
laws which make soldier vote taking
possible. No reference is made to
taking the vote in camps in the
United States but the former order
showed that the government would
assist wherever practicable.
RICHARDS.

BUY MORE THRIFT STAMPS

Chalifoux's CORNER

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS



I said "Helmar!"

15 Cents

HELMAR

TURKISH CIGARETTES

Amorques
Makers of the Highest Grade Turkish
and Egyptian Cigarettes in the World

DRUGGISTS MAKE MERRY
AT CANOBIE LAKE

One of the most successful outings
of the season was held yesterday by
the local association of druggists at
Canobie Lake park in conjunction with
their Haverhill brothers.

A special car filled with the pill-
rollers left the square at 11:45, and
less than an hour found them at their
destination. On arriving there, they
found that the Haverhill representa-
tives were there ahead of them, and
everyone confessed to feeling rather
empty.

One o'clock found them all trooping
into the pavilion, where a fitting re-
past had been made ready. Before
falling to, Mr. Frank G. Campbell,
president of the local druggists' asso-
ciation, who had been elected toast-
master of the occasion, spoke a few
words of welcome and also read the
list of athletic events and prizes for
the day's festivities as follows:

100 yard dash for boys of 18 and
over. 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd prize \$2.00.
100 yard dash for boys under 18.
1st prize, umbrella; 2nd prize, box
of candy.

Proprietors and managers, 100 yd.
dash. 1st prize, bath spray.

Running broad jump. 1st prize, Gil-
lett's safety razor; 2nd prize, box of
candy.

Ladies' handball throwing contest.
1st prize, bath spray.

Ladies' 50 yard dash. 1st prize, box
of candy; 2nd prize, Colgate's combi-
nation outfit.

Travelling men's race. 1st prize, \$5
gold piece.

Dall game between Lowell and Ha-
verhill associations. Winning team to
receive a silver Moxie cup, and a box
of cigars.

President Campbell also gave out the
lists of those whose donations had
helped make the outing's athletic pro-
gram so successful as follows:

Father John Co., \$5 gold piece; C. I.
Hood Co., printing; Cruikshank Ice
Cream Co., \$5; Sharp Ice Cream Co.,
\$5; Moxie Co., silver cup, 16 inches in
height; Samsonet Candy Co., 10 lb. box
of chocolates; Gilman Bros., Gillette
safety razor; Quality Chocolate Co.,
two 3-lb. boxes of candy; Brewer Co.,
Carter, Carter and Meigs, bath spray;
R. G. Sullivan, 200 cigars; John Web-
ster, 50 cigars; J. W. Nichols, box of
chocolates; Haverhill Wholesale Drug
Co., umbrella.

Pres. Campbell finished by giving
the names of the committees who had
put in their time to the end that the
outing should be a success: For
Lowell, President, Frank G. Campbell;
vice pres., Wm. R. Kiernan; executive
committee, Fred E. Jones, chairman,
Mr. F. Burr, Mr. Lantagnier and Mr.
Nouman, who was also chairman of the
committee on sports. For Haverhill,
J. H. Edgerly, president; Geo. Green-
wood, secretary; executive committee,
P. S. Preble, chairman, Andrew Ritchie
and W. H. McGrath, who was likewise
chairman of the committee on sports.

It was stated that the number of
persons at table was 117.

The pavilion was tastefully deco-
rated with flags and bunting, and the
service was perfect. At the close of
the meal Toastmaster Campbell intro-
duced Rep. Murphy to the members.
Mr. Murphy made a brief address in
which he wished them all the best of
luck, now and in the future, and said
he would close with that sentiment, as
the time was approaching for the
sporting events.

Mr. Campbell also introduced Mr.
Sam McCord, who has been nominated
for a position on the Massachusetts
Board of Pharmacy. Mr. McCord, on
being called on for a speech, said that
if elected this fall he will do all in his
power to help any young members
who are about to take their examina-
tion for registered druggists.

On arriving at the athletic grounds,
the first race was the 100 yard dash
for the boys of 18 and over. McKay
of Lowell won first prize, and P.
Campbell of Lowell the second. In the
100 yard junior race, Ahearn of Haver-
hill carried off first prize, with Walsh
of Lowell second. The travelling
men's 100 yard dash was won by
Honore of New Hampshire, with
Chapman of Boston second. Ladies'
ball throwing contest was won by Miss
Chaloux, with a throw of 73 feet.
Ladies' 50 yard dash was won by Miss
Tuck, with Miss Mackey second. Pro-
prietors' 100 yard dash was won by
Harry Campbell of Lowell, with
Schlafman of Haverhill second. Run-
ning broad jump, won by Breen, with
Nolet second, both of Lowell. This
concluded the athletic events, with the
exception of the ball game, which was
immediately called to order.

The ball game proved an exciting
affair with Mr. Herbert Webster do-
ing the umpiring. Some of the mem-
bers were unkind enough to suggest
that Herb's sight is rapidly failing
these days, but as Herb says, every
knock is a boost. It went seven in-
nings, and sad to relate, the finish
found Haverhill the victor by the score
of 10 to 5. Nolet pitched for Lowell,
and McGrath for the visitors. Nolet
pitched well but had poor support,
whereas McGrath was given fine back-
ing. Capt. Miller of the Lowell team
suffered a split finger in the first
inning, and had to retire. Goggin put
in the best work for Haverhill, his
hitting being a feature, and one of his
long throws from left field cut off
the runner at the plate by inches. For
Lowell, McCormack did the best all-
around work. Hits and errors mingled
freely, but the superior team
work of Haverhill was shown in the
final result. Lowell used almost an
entirely new team of substitutes dur-
ing the game. The original line-up
follows:

Miller, Capt., McGrath, Capt.
Lowell, Haverhill
Nolet, p. 1b, Donehue
Miller, c. 3b, Kenney
Shayne, 2b. cf, Callahan
Donehue, if. rf, Schlafman

Man Dear--?
Can You Answer This

WHERE, OH, WHERE! IN THE WIDE,
WIDE WORLD CAN YOU GET

\$12.50 Suits for \$8.45

And after you've stopped and pondered and wondered at
the audacity of a store in offering such a value in war times—
then, what do you think of

\$15 Suits for \$8.45

No we didn't steal 'em, and there's no joker in the pack.
They're honest to goodness values, same as you've been getting
at Chalifoux's for over forty-three years.

They're new suits in the newest styles. Some are con-
servative while others will arouse young fellows to action
who want something full of pep.

THESE \$12.50 AND \$15.00 SUITS AT \$8.45
ARE TWO-PIECE COOL SUMMER
OUTING SUITS

Made of wool crashes. Nearly all sizes, regular and stout, are
here in plain and mixtures. Patch pockets.

Men's Pants.....\$1.00, \$1.25
Men's Khaki Coats, plain or Norfolk style.
\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.75
Alpaca and Light Cotton Coats for warm
weather or office wear.....\$1.50, \$5.00
White Flannel Pencil Stripe Pants, \$6 value, \$4.00
Men's Fancy Worsted Suits in stout, long and
regular sizes, one, two, three of a pattern,
sizes to 50, long or stout. This sale of
worsted suits includes a few odd Adler-
Rochesters and other well known brands,
\$21.50

Men's Khaki Breeches.....\$2.00, \$2.50
Mohair Outing Suits, plain or pencil stripes, in
blue, black and gray; patch pockets, rein-
forced seams and lined pants; regular and
stout sizes to 50, small sizes, 34 chest, good
values at \$15.00. Special.....\$12.50
Flannel Two-Piece Suits in fine mixtures, the
latest military models, big patch or up and
down pockets, with seam at waist line, half
or all around silk yoke.....\$15.00

Lucky Man

YOU CAN BUY A
\$3 \$3.50 or \$4
SILK SHIRT for

\$1.85

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS OF FIBRE SILK THAT ARE SLIGHTLY
SOILED. IF MEN HADN'T THOUGHT SO MUCH OF THEM
AT \$3 TO \$4 THEY WOULDN'T BE HERE FOR \$1.85, FOR
THEY WERE SOILED IN HANDLING

These 65c Silk Four-in-Hands at 45c

Will go fine with the shirts. Slide easy hand, wide open ends.

Walsh, rf
Morse, 2b
Ready, cf
McCormick, ss

The score:
Haverhill..... 0 0 4 0 1 5 0—10
Lowell..... 1 0 1 0 1 0 2—5

At the close of the game the mem-
bers scattered, some to the bowling
alleys, while others found recreation
in boating or dancing as their taste
happened to be. Several of the mem-
bers had brought their wives or sweet-
hearts, so dancing partners were not
lacking.

The special car hack left the
grounds at 8:45, but quite a number
of the members went back earlier in
the evening, either by the government
have the assurance that there will be
no danger for the traveler who arrives
alone in a strange city. Incoming war
workers and in the railway station
representatives of the government and
of other organizations ready to give
assistance in all possible ways.

The District of Columbia Council of
National Defense, the department of la-
bor, the army ordnance and quar-
termaster departments, the navy de-
partment, and the Travelers' Aid society
maintain booths of information. In ad-
dition, a large sign announces to those
who wish to be put in touch with gov-
ernment activities the location of the
service bureau of the committee on
public information at 15th and G
streets.

The meeting of trains for the pur-
pose of assisting women unused to
traveling, is in charge of the Travel-

ers' Aid society, which keeps a uni-
formed representative on duty every
day during the 24 hours. The housing
situation is taken care of by those in
charge of the booth belonging to the
District Council of National Defense.
A list of rooms for temporary and per-
manent occupancy is kept there and
newcomers to the city are referred to
the council's room registration bureau,
1221 New York avenue, and to the

Young Women's Christian association,
14th and G streets, for news about liv-
ing conditions. The army ordnance and
quartermaster booth and the navy
booth look after workers who have
been sent for by their special branches
of the government service. Women
who are not yet placed are referred to
the free employment service for wom-
en, 1410 Pennsylvania avenue.

GIRLS ARE PROTECTED

Girl Workers Who Travel to
Washington Will be Met
at the Station

Mothers of girls who make the trip
to Washington, D. C., in response to
summons to work for the government
have the assurance that there will be
no danger for the traveler who arrives
alone in a strange city. Incoming war
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"I JUST want to thank you for Dr.
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is fine.
I use it for my baby, my husband and myself,
and simply can't do without a bottle of it in
the house."

(From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by
Mrs. John W. Christensen, 603 So. 2nd
East, Brigham City, Utah)

Dr. Caldwell's
Syrup Pepsin
The Perfect Laxative

old by Druggists Everywhere
50 cts. (Two) \$1.00

Quickly corrects disorders of the intestinal
tract, relieves the congestion and restores nor-
mal regularity. It is gentle in action and does
not gripe. A trial bottle can be obtained by
writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 458 Washington
St., Monticello, Illinois.

Quality-Superb

Women who are losing
weight and energy—who
look pale and feel languid—
need the healthful effects of
Beecham's
Pills

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

FIREMEN TO HOLD STATE CONVENTION HERE

Final arrangements for the state convention of the Stationary Firemen's union, which will be held in this city next Monday and Tuesday, were completed at a meeting of Local 14, Stationary Firemen's union, held last evening at 32 Middle street. It was decided that the headquarters of the convention will be at the Waverly hotel and delegates are requested to report there immediately upon their arrival in this city. The convention will open Monday morning at 10 o'clock in Hamilton hall, Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street and at 1 o'clock dinner will be served to the delegates at the Waverly hotel. The committee in charge of the convention is composed of the following:

Thomas F. Quinn, chairman; secretary, Thomas J. McGee; treasurer, John W. Downing; Michael F. Sullivan, Dominick Meehan, chairman of reception committee; John P. Hendrick, John P. Deary, Alfred A. Green, Edward Devlin, James McGreevy, Michael Finn, Michael Connevy, James O. Rourke.

In the course of the meeting 14 new members were initiated and 16 applications for membership were received. The prize drawing organized by the local to help defray the expenses of the convention was held. Private William Buckley, who is enjoying a furlough at his home, drawing the coupons. The ticket numbers drawn, the winners and the donors of the prizes are as follows:

2426, Charles Brown, 112 Fayette st., \$1.00 local 14; Fitzgerald, 34 Mead st., barrel of flour, Cartridge shop local; 1525, William Conley, 52 Midland st., half ton of coal, Fred H. Rourke; 6438, name unknown, \$5 in gold, O'Connell & Mack; 6572, name unknown, Mayor Perry D. Thompson, \$5 in gold; 933, A. Fitzgerald, 32 West Third st., traveling bag, donated Commissioner Donnelly; 4525, Thos. McCarthy, 104 local, \$5 in gold, Commissioner Warnock; 5867, James Mulran, brewery, \$5 in gold, Commissioner Morse; 5410, John Fitzgerald, 58 Bartlett st., \$5 in gold, Commissioner Brown; 6085, Sam Gardner, 40 Hampshire st., case of peas, friend; 1819, Philena Hunt, 3 Fourth st., \$5 in gold, Unity association; 3490, Dan Callahan, water department, boulevard, umbrella, Merrimack Clothing Co.; 9284, William Condon, 98 Westford st., pair of gloves, J. P. Miskella; 5633, Trades and Labor council, merchandise to value of \$2, by J. L. Chalifoux Co.; 1036, Mr. Vennard, 13 Stromquist avenue, merchandise to value of \$2, Talbot Clothing Co.; 3338, George V. Bean, city hall, shirt, donated by D. S. O'Brien Co.; 5518, Arthur O'Dell, 139 Jewett st., gold cuff links, donated by Macartney's Apparel Shop; Edward Devlin, a member of the local got a \$5 prize for selling the largest number of tickets.

Woolen Spinners

A feature of last evening's meeting of the members of the Woolen Spinners' union was the presentation of wrist watches to Privates William Buckley of aviation corps, stationed in Texas and Joseph Hudson of Ft. Banks, the presentation being made by Francis Frank color. Routine business was transacted and a social hour was held.

Painters' Union

A regular meeting of Local 38, Painters' union was held in Carpenters hall last evening with Cornelius P. Collins in the chair. Routine business was transacted and a communication showing that the council is in excellent condition was received from the Building Trades council.

District Council

An important meeting of the district council of the Carpenters' union was held in Carpenters hall last evening with President Joseph A. Roy in the chair. A feature of the meeting was the installation of 28 delegates by State President Michael A. Lee.

HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

As she was alighting from an electric car near her home at Kenwood last evening, Miss Christina Prevost was struck and thrown to the ground by an automobile owned and operated by Frank L. Curtis of 88 Draper st., Dorchester. The young woman received a scalp wound in the back of the head and a fractured rib. She was removed to St. John's hospital by the owner of the machine. The accident occurred at about 6.45 o'clock and the case was reported to the police by Mr. Curtis.

SHOE RETAILERS ASKED TO ASSIST IN PROGRAM FOR CONSERVATION OF LEATHER

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Shoe retailers were asked yesterday by the War Industries board to assist in the program for conservation of leather and labor adopted by manufacturers and wholesale dealers. The retailers are asked specifically to make reduction in the amount and variety of stock ordered for the 1919 spring season. No interference will be made with the disposal of stocks now on hand or ordered for the fall season.

The Bon Marche

DRESS IT UP

All your summer duds bought? Yes?

Well, what about your home? Aren't you going to dress THAT up now?

Make it a better place to live in. Bring to it that atmosphere of cheerfulness, that should be there, by having those rooms repapered.

Do it now. Come in and look over our large assortment of papers that help to bring cheer and comfort to the home. It's a pleasure to show you.

For Over 43 Years This Store Has Supplied Lowell People With Something Not to be Found in Any Other Store in the World—

Chalifoux Value

THESE ARE THE DAYS OF THE BIG VALUES AT Chalifoux's CORNER THE SUMMER STORE

Chalifoux value is supreme because we ask only a moderate profit—10 to 15 per cent. less than customary in the average store. Everything is always marked at the lowest possible price. We intend that every price shall be low enough to sell the article while it is fresh, new and more useful. Consequently old merchandise is not piling up here. You will find nothing but desirable summer goods at Chalifoux's.

These are the days of big values. Not once in a while. Not once a month or once a week, but every day. Chalifoux value works all the time, every business day in the year. And Chalifoux's is now the summer store. We have the largest summer stocks in our history. Enormous selections of summer necessities and vacation needs, priced so attractively that thousands are coming to Chalifoux's for every requirement.

New Comers to Lowell:—We want to meet you—We want your patronage—Want you to experience the service, courtesy and attentiveness of Chalifoux salespeople. Chalifoux's is a department store. Everything for the home. Everything to wear. Everything for men, women and children—And a big, hearty WELCOME awaits you.

Here's a Mighty Good Sale of Women's Anderson Gingham Dresses

At a Wonderfully Low Price for ANDERSON GINGHAMS



Pretty as a picture in their perfectly plain style with large pearl buttons used for trimming.

\$7.50

Fifty dresses at this price include voiles with dainty pretty effects. Only \$7.50

NEW YORK FIFTH AVENUE STYLES AT

\$10

Linen Sleeveless Suits from New York, made of high grade linen, in colors—rose, leather, natural, brown and white.....

Straight Linen Liberty Dresses in copen and light blue, trimmed with buttons that have celluloid back and will not rust. Exceptional value for

Lovely Organdie Liberty Dresses in checks, solid colors, black and white stripes, blue and white stripes, green and white and blue with yellow embroidery.....

About 50 Satin Taffeta Dresses for fall, in taupe, navy and black—

Georgette Crepe Dresses, blue, black, navy and copen—

Crepe de Chine Dresses, blue, taupe and black **\$25.00**

About 100 Taffeta, Satin, Crepe de Chine Dresses in taupe, navy and black. Made with georgette sleeves, and trimmed with organdie collars and cuffs..... **\$18.00**

LIBERTY DRESSES AT \$10—Are absolutely the greatest value we know of in America. We believe you will not be able to duplicate the quality for less than \$12 to \$15, and of course, we think you cannot duplicate the styles at any price. Both the manufacturer and Chalifoux's agreed to forget profits in providing Liberty Dresses for..... **\$10.00**

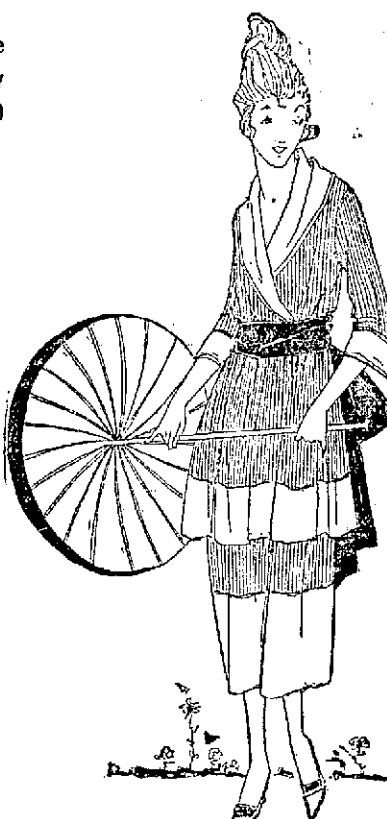
About 35 Crepe de Chine, Taffeta and Tub Silk

Foulards—One in particular is made of black and white foulard, made with over-skirt and trimmed with black satin,

\$12.50

\$18.00

\$10.00



BEFORE YOU GO ON YOUR VACATION Visit Chalifoux's Jewelry and Leather Store

On the street floor and see that every summer need is supplied. You don't want your vacation spoiled by finding that you forgot something and won't be able to get it out of town. Chalifoux Value in Jewelry or Leather Goods will prevent this inconvenience economically.

LEATHER GOODS
Small Change Purses, just the thing to carry your carfare in. Fancy Leather Envelope Purses to match your tailored suit. Patent Leather Purses. Black Silk Hand Bags. Manicure Sets, in large and small leather cases, suitable for traveling purposes. Music Rolls. Receipt Books, Bill Folds, Pass Cases. Military Brushes. Children's Fancy Hand Bags, in silk or leather. Fancy Work Basket, fully equipped. Patent Leather Belts in a variety of pretty patterns.

JEWELRY
Men's Soft Collar Pins. Men's Combination Sets, consisting of scarf pin, cuff links and tie clip. Men's Gold Filled Chains. Bone Hair Pins in shell, blonde and gray. Barrettes, in shell, demi and gray. Casque Combs, in plain and jeweled. Hat Pins in a variety of patterns. Silver Thimbles. Aluminum and Gold Filled Hair Barrettes. Pearl Beads, opera or neck length.

THRIFT STAMPS ARE SOLD AT THE INFORMATION DESK

BUY MORE WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

VISIT CHALIFOUX'S NEW RUG AND FURNITURE STORE

The Blouse Shop

Is where you will find the loveliest Blouses for your vacation. Sheerest of georgettes, heavy crepe de chine and plain lins and dainty organdies. Oh, such a variety!



Georgette Crepe and Russian Blouses, slip-on style, lace trimmed **\$10.00**

Voile Blouses in slip-ons, Russian blouse effect, Dutch neck with and without collars, all daintily trimmed and a beautiful assortment to select from..... **\$1.98**

Wash Silk Blouses, white and flesh; regular \$2.98 value, **\$1.98**

Blouses of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe, extra heavy quality **\$2.98**

French Voiles in hand embroidery, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.00

Georgette Crepe Blouses, daintily braided yoke, button back, Dutch neck, \$5.00

Little Grey Shops for Children

"A BABY IN THE HOUSE IS A WELL SPRING OF PLEASURE."

Babies certainly are a pleasure, but they need much care and attention, especially during the warm weather that is to come. Mothers come to the Little Grey Shops for everything a baby needs from the layette to the tiny little shoes. Our graduate nurse gladly gives advice to mothers. See the model sleeping room and the model nursery.

Child size Chairs for proper fitting of children's shoes so their feet won't hurt when they grow up.

Children's Bathing Suits in navy, red and gray with white trimming, sizes 24 to 28 **\$1.49**

Children's Bathing Suits in navy and gray, trimmed with white, in sizes 28 to 34 **\$1.98**

Infants' Long Slips, Bishop style, with hamburg trimming **59c**

Babys' Play Yards, just the thing for summer. Put them on the lawn or the porch; made of oak or white enamel, **\$3.49, \$3.98, \$7.50**

Children's White Stockings, in lisle, cotton, cashmere, and silk and wool, sizes 4 to 6 1/2 **25c to 69c**

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BRING THE KIDDIES TO THE CHILDREN'S BARBER SHOP Second Floor

VACATION MILLINERY

For your vacation we could suggest nothing better than a Milan Hat, so becoming and yet so simple.



Matron's Hats, blacks and colored straws, trimmed with flowers, foliage, ribbons and lace braids..... **\$3.98**
White Milan Hats, lace braids, made with colored French crepes, Wonder hats **\$5.00**
Sport Hats, black and white, all white, and colored straws, **\$3.75, \$3.98, \$5.00**



VISIT CHALIFOUX'S NEW RUG AND FURNITURE STORE

ALL 'ROUND THE STREET FLOOR

Organdie Vests, net plaited edge with cuffs..... **\$1.00**
Madam Hillman's Wavers, 5 on card..... **15c**
Trimming Buttons in ivory..... **50c and 75c**
Countess Invisible Hair Pins, box..... **15c**
Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs..... **10c**
Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3 boxes for..... **25c**
Children's Handkerchiefs, 3 for..... **25c**
Bag Ribbon, beautiful colors, yard..... **\$1.49**

BEST LARGE No 1 SELECTED STOCK
NEW POTATOES 15-lb. Peck **57c**

BEST NATIVE WAX or BUTTER BEANS, qt. **7 1/2c**

NATIVE BUNCH BEETS 5c
NATIVE BUNCH CARROTS 5c
NATIVE WHITE TURNIPS 5c
NATIVE Tennis Ball LETTUCE 2 Heads 5c

PARSLEY, Bu. 5c | RADISHES, Bu. 2c | Wh. Onions, lb. 7c | Nat. Endive, pk. 15c

ARMOUR'S PORK CUT IN CHOPS, lb. **23c**
SWIFT'S GENUINE LEG and LOIN **LAMB lb. 33c**

CARRY IT HOME!
THE BURDEN'S LIGHT,
JUST THINK OF THEM WHO HAVE TO FIGHT!

CARRY your groceries, etc., home with you. Every one is mobilizing to conserve the man power of the country. It will help you save money also. If you have joined the new food-and-money movement you should pay this big market a visit. You will note that our foods are of full value and that they are priced in a manner that appeals to thrifty folks.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

BEST NATIVE Stringless Green BEANS, qt. **7 1/2c**
NEW NATIVE CABBAGE, lb. **4c**

JUST IN—NEW RED APPLES, qt. 10c
RED RIPE TOMATOES, lb. 6c
NATIVE SCALLIONS, 3 Bunches 5c
NATIVE GREEN PEAS, qt. 10c

Texas Onions, lb. 3c | Beet Greens, pk. 10c | Cucumbers, ea. 5c | Rhubarb, lb. 3c

FANCY MILK FED LEG and LOIN lb. **VEAL, 23c**
ARMOUR'S SMALL PORK To Roast, lb. **21c**

LEGS OF FANCY Yearling, lb. 21c

Cnd. Ox Tongue, lb. 23c | Sp. Ribs, lb. 16c

Steaks FANCY SIRLOIN CUTS, lb. **23c**

SUGAR CURED SMOKED HAMS, lb. 31c

BEEF IS LOWER. TOP RIBS, lb. **28c**

FOWL FANCY, TO FRICASSEE, lb. **33c**

CUT-UP FOWL, lb. 32c

SUGAR CURED SMOKED Shoulders, lb. 21c

Salt Br. Pork, lb. 20c | Crnd. Pigs' Ft. lb. 5c

Steaks ROUND, CUT THROUGH, lb. **30c**

SLICED SUGAR CURED HAM, lb. 38c

BEEF IS LOWER. CHUCK CUTS, lb. **20c**

Boneless ROLLED ROAST BEEF, lb. **23c**

CHICAGO SIRLOIN BUTTS, lb. 27c

BONELESS FANCY SMOKED Shoulders, lb. 27c

Pork Liver, lb. 5c | Bris. Crnd. Beef, lb. 25c

Steaks CHOICE CUTS RUMP, lb. **35c**

SUGAR CURED SMKD. BACON, lb. 31c

BEEF IS LOWER. POT ROAST, lb. **18c**

John P. Squire's FRESH PORK SHOULDER, lb. **27c**

FANCY PORK BUTTS, lb. 25c

CORNER OR SWT. PICKLED Shoulders, lb. 20c

Th. Rib. C. Beef, lb. 21c | Stekg. Pcs. lb. 20c

Steaks TOP ROUND CUTS, lb. **33c**

MORRELL'S SMOKED BACON, lb. 38c

BEEF IS LOWER. SIRLOIN TIP ROAST, lb. **22c**

Tenderloin Steak, lb. 29c

FANCY PORK SHOULDERS, lb. 25c

FANCY Yearling, lb. 19c

Nav. End C. Beef 17c | Snouts and Ears, 12c

Steaks ELEGANT VEIN CUTS, lb. **32c**

SWEET PICKLED HAMS, lb. 30c

BEEF IS LOWER. FACE OF RUMP, lb. **30c**

Small Fancy Northern Turkey, lb. 42c

LAMB and VEAL TO STEW, lb. 23c

Marvel Milk, can. 13c
Eagle Milk, can. 18c
Del. Tomatoes, big can 17c
Walker Glass Cond. Milk, jar 20c
Borden's Small Evap. Milk, can. 6 1/2c
Canned Syrup, can. 12 1/2c
Can. Sauerkraut, can. 12 1/2c
Wht. Fm. Ammonia, hot 12c
Van Camp's Small Evap. Milk, can. 6 1/2c
Garland Spinach, big can 21c
No. 10 Terrapin Spinach, can. 10c
Dible B Brand Milk, can. 15c
Libby's Sauerkraut, can. 12c
Regal Tomatoes, b. can. 17c
Holsum Bkd. Beans, can. 15c
Moneyworth Pork & Beans, can. 10c
Maine Clams, can. 10c
Lusc. Clam Chowder, can. 10c
No. 1 can. 17c
Pink Salmon, can. 17c

Cudahy's Rex-"White" Oleo
Made with Coconut Oil. Pound **25c**

30 lb. Pail Jelly, lb. 12c
Prunes, 50-100 Oregon. 10c
Prunes, 60-70 Calif. 12c
Delmonte Raisins, 15. 12c
Seedless Raisins, 10c
Prunes, 50-100 Calif. lb. 10c
Nileas Spinach, can. 15c
Lord Tomatoes, No. 3 can. 17c
Ex. Tomatoes, No. 3 can. 17c
Lully H. Salmon, No. 3 can. 15c
Liberty Good Tomatoes, No. 3 can. 17c
Luncheon Salmon, can. 15c
Kipper Herring, can. 10c
No. 2 Canning Tom. can. 15c
Webster's Red Beans, No. 2 can. 12c
Eureka Tomatoes, No. 3 can. 17c
Borden's Evap. Milk, full can. 11c
Van Camp's Evap. Milk, full can. 11c

PRINT CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. 45c
Saunders' Lard
Lily White Pound **27c**
Lowell's Leading Food Market

Cudahy's Rex-"White" PURE Lard
Lily White Pound **27c**

Libby's Evap. Milk, tall can. 10c
Farren's Lima Beans, can. 10c
Soaked Peas, can. 9c
Come Lima Beans, can. 10c
Pine Cone Tomatoes, No. 2 can. 14c
O. K. Beans, can. 15c
Ray State Spinach, can. 21c
Arm and Hammer Soda, pkgs. 12c
Shetland Raspberries, can. 25c
Oval Green Soap, 7 bars 25c
Light House Cleanser, can. 4c
Blue Rose Chili Sauce, 25c bot. 25c
Snider's Salad Dressing, 25c bot. 25c
Wellcome Soap, 6 bars. 35c
Table Salt, 7c-12c bag
Tuna Fish, can. 23c

Karo Syrup, can. 12 1/2c
Hammer Soap, 6 bars. 25c
Argo Corn Starch. \$1 doz.
P. & G. Naphtha Soap, 6 bars. 35c
Fels Naphtha, 6 bars. 35c
White Rose Rice, lb. 12c
Golden Crown Syrup, can. 12c
Carbolic Soap, cake. 6c
Quality Peas, can. 14c
Sentinel Peas, can. 12c
Libby's Asparagus Soup, can. 12c
Anchor Cranberry Beans, can. 12c
Palm Olive Soap, 2 cakes with coupon. 15c
Swift's P. Washing Powder, small and large. 4c-10c
Snider's Chili Sauce, hot 23c
Salt, 50 lb. bags. 75c
Export Soap, 6 bars. 25c
Sunlight Soap, 6 bars. 35c
Lava Soap, each. 5c
Seourine, a hand soap, ea. 3c

Lenox, 7 bars. 25c
Snowberry, 7 bars. 25c
Fairy, 6 bars. 35c
Mascot, 7 bars. 25c
Clean Easy Naphtha, 60 bar box. \$3.10
Lux, pkg. 11c
Sweetheart Soap, 6 cks, 25c
Grandma's Soap Powder, 4c
Babbitt's 1776, pkg. 5c
Ivory Soap, 6 cakes. 35c
Gold Medal Powder, pkg. 11c
Crystalline Salt, 15c can. 35c
Canned Squash, can. 15c
Hart's Red Kidney Beans, can. 15c
Preserving Jar, pt. size. 38c
Hince Meat, Sunbeam, pkg. 8c
Derby Chicken Broth, ea. 12c
Toilet Paper, pkg. 3c
Chow Chow, bot. 10c

POOR SPORTS

Huns Now Protest What They Themselves Inaugurated Early in War

Say no Military Purpose Served by Attack on Towns Outside War Zone

GENEVA, July 12.—Another campaign has been undertaken along the Rhine to prevent allied aerial bombardment of Rhine towns.

The landtag of the duchy of Baden has been asked to pass a resolution requesting the government of the grand duchy to exercise its influence with the imperial authorities to come to an arrangement with the belligerents to abandon on both sides the aerial bombardment of towns outside the zone of military operations. In a speech in the landtag in favor of the proposition Deputy Narun declared that aerial attacks on localities behind the front served no military purpose and that only innocent women and children suffered.

The Lausanne Gazette declares that the Germans since the beginning of the war have bombed London and Paris with Zeppelins and airplanes more than a hundred times, while the allies during the three years for various reasons were unable to reply, but did not after only a few months of bombardment of Rhine towns.

ment of their open towns, are crying: "Kamerad."

FRANCE AND U. S. CLOSELY UNITED

PARIS, July 12 (Havas Agency).—A message from Secretary of the Navy Daniels, published in the Matin, says that France and the United States, united by historical friendship, have become still more closely bound together in the formidable struggle against tyranny. He declares that the hundreds of thousands of Americans already in France are only the vanguard of the armies that will follow and that the submarines will be useless to stop them. The message concludes by asserting that the United States will participate wholeheartedly in the celebration of July 14, Bastille day.

corps, a recently formed national organization to promote shooting among the boys and girls in America.

Marksmen and sharpshooter medals are offered by the Winchester Junior Rifle corps to any boy or girl not over 15 years of age. A score of 19 out of a possible 25 on each of ten targets wins the marksmen medal, and a score of 24 out of a possible 25 on each of 15 targets wins the sharpshooter medal. The targets must be shot on a 50-foot range. Last Saturday have been appointed local representatives of the Winchester Junior Rifle corps, and any boy and girl may register at their store, and secure membership certificates, official button and targets.

NO BUSINESS WITH HUNS

Britain Stops All Trade With Germany—507 Enemy Firms Forced to Quit

(By Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

LONDON, July.—The last vestiges of the once formidable German trade in England are fast disappearing.

Under the trading with the enemy act, passed in 1916, England paved the way for purging herself from all Teutonic trade influences after the war. The intricate system by which the Germans obtained control of many of the industries in the islands have either been abolished or taken over by the government.

In February, 1916, a committee was appointed under the leadership of Ernest Moon, counsel to the speaker of the house of commons, to investigate conditions relative to businesses which appeared, by reason of the enemy nationality of the person conducting them to be carried on for the benefit of German subjects.

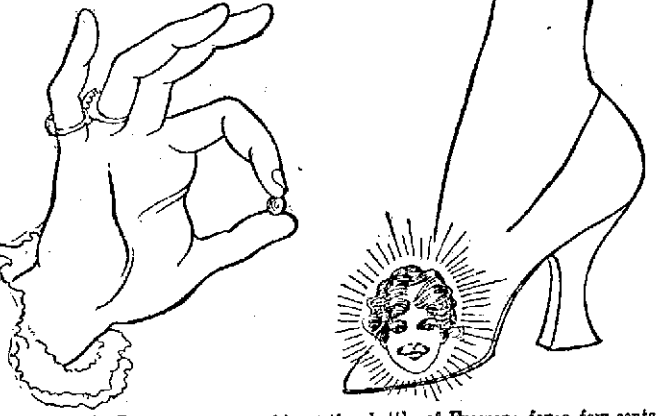
Since then the committee has had under investigation more than 960 cases, of which 507 were forced to discontinue business and 100 were placed in charge of the government. The rest are being carefully watched.

Many concerns operating under English names and charters were found to be controlled by enemy aliens, with the intent of hiding their identity from the public.

Throughout the country steps are now being taken to prevent the Teutonic trade powers from obtaining control of certain trades after the war.

Lift Off Corns!

"Freezone" is Magic! Lift any Corn or Callus right off with fingers—No pain!



Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. It doesn't hurt one bit. Yes, magic! Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Try it! No humbug!

SALE OF HOLMAN CHAIRS AND DESKS

J. E. Conant & Co. makes the following report of their sale at Chelsea Wednesday:

We are pleased to report that the sale of the 10,229 Holman chairs and 131 Holman roll-top and office desks, and the six oval office or library tables, and the \$8,000 feet of mahogany and cherry and black walnut and oak and ash lumber, and the chair stock, took place at the Holman plant at 155 Marginal street, Chelsea, last Wednesday, in accordance with the published catalogue. The sale started promptly at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and was fully completed at 3.40 o'clock in the afternoon. The 128 lots of chairs were sold practically as scheduled and described in the catalogue, from 621-2 cents to \$7 apiece at the highest cash bid each, from \$7 to \$35. The attendance numbered 100 bidders, and everything moved along with regularity and the sale as a whole was a particularly active and satisfactory one. Purchasers were present from all over New England, and the property sold is undoubtedly to receive a wide distribution. The sale aggregated \$23,300.

LOWELL BOY WINS FAMOUS WINCHESTER JUNIOR RIFLE CORPS MEDAL

Michael Keohane, 123 Agawam street, with a score of 367 has been awarded the sharpshooter medal and diploma offered by the Winchester Junior Rifle

DENIED BY PERSHING

American Commander Contradicts Soldiers' Tales of German Atrocities

WASHINGTON, July 12.—General Pershing has challenged the statements attributed by a St. Louis newspaper to an American sergeant, who is credited with having asserted in speeches that he had captured an American boy who had been captured by the Germans, who had cut off his ears, that Germans were feeding tuberculosis germs to Americans and giving poisoned candy to children. The sergeant credited with these statements was one of the group of 50 "Pershing veterans" who came to this country to assist in the third Liberty loan campaign. General Pershing's cablegram to the war department follows:

"A St. Louis, Mo., paper recently received here states that a sergeant, one of the 50 men sent back in connection with the Liberty loan campaign, is making speeches, in which he states: 'The Germans gave poisoned candy to the children to eat and hand grenades to play with. They show glee at the children's dying writhings and laugh aloud when the grenades explode. I saw one American boy about 17 years old, who had been captured by the Germans come back to our trenches. He had cotton in and about his ears. I asked someone what the cotton was for.'"

"The Germans cut off his ears and sent him back to tell us they want to fight men," was his answer. They feed Americans tuberculosis germs."

"As there is no foundation whatever for such statements based on any experience we have had, I recommend that this sergeant, if the statements quoted above were made by him, be immediately returned for duty here and that the statements be contradicted."

AT HOG ISLAND

Rapid Progress Toward Completion of Shipyards

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—Rapid progress is being made toward the completion of the Hog Island shipyards, according to Francis T. Bowles, director of operations, who today announced that 35 keels had been laid and that the number of workers at the yard had reached 28,500. This, he said, was 1500 short of the number of employees that would be required to operate the yard at full capacity. All the ways are expected to be completed early in August.

PROFITING IN GERMANY

NEW YORK, July 11.—A new method of profiteering in Germany was disclosed in the reichstag recently when Socialist Deputy Meierfeld declared that private contractors were making millions from government contracts for the manufacture of darkknobs to replace the metal knobs seized under the recent order of the German government.

If you want quick returns try a classified ad in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

O'BRIEN'S

"Times is Changed"

We offer today, a limited choice—about 100—

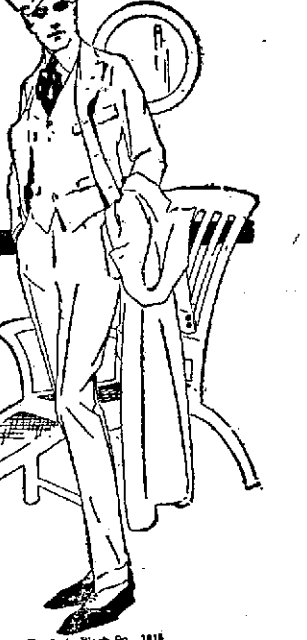
Last Season **Fancy Suits**

Some Stein-Bloch's, that sold at \$20 and \$25

\$17.50

Formerly, we clothiers were reluctant to admit that this or that garment was "last season's." It didn't help the sale.

But "times is changed." Now, men are asking for last year's fabrics. They're much better than the new ones, and cost less.



These Suits we offer you at \$17.50 could not be bought today and sold under \$25 to \$30. Of course, the style would be fresher, but these models are largely of the staple variety, and if you value service first, they're wonderful trades.

However, the fabrics are not staple—they're seasonable homespuns and cheviots, right for NOW, and we want to sell them NOW.

Hence the price \$17.50—instead of \$20 and \$25.

The sizes are 34 to 40 mostly—a few larger.

Two-piece Summer Suits of Kool Kloth, Palm Beach, Flannels and Crashes **\$10, \$12, \$13.50**

D. S. O'BRIEN CO.

222 Merrimack Street

Maker & McCurdy CORSET SHOP

198 MERRIMACK ST.

WHITE PETTICOATS

Of Every Description For Any Occasion

Tub silk, with double panel, front and back **\$3.75-\$4.50**
Wash satin, double panel, front and back, and double flounce, in flesh and white **\$5.00**
Nainsook petticoat, handsome lace flounces, with embroidered inserts, **\$3.98 to \$5.98**
Handsomely trimmed, lace flounces, **\$1.98 to \$4.00**
Hamburg trimmed, all lovely, **\$1.00 to \$5.00**
Sateen petticoats, with tub silk flounce, **\$2.25**
Extra sizes, in all kinds, with prices right, Heatherbloom petticoats, floral designs or plain colors **\$1.98**
Silk petticoats, beauties, **\$1.98 to \$10.98**

Many Others too Numerous to Mention. Our window display shows a few samples.

CASUALTY LIST

52 Names on Today's Army Report—Nine Were Killed in Action

20 Other Deaths—15 Severely Wounded—Four N. E. Men on List

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The army casualty list today shows 52 names divided as follows:

Killed in action, nine; died of wounds, seven; died of disease, seven; died of airplane accident, two; died of accidents and other causes, four; wounded severely, 15; wounded slightly, one; wounded, degree undetermined, two; missing, five.

The list:

Killed in Action
Lt. W. Brown, Washington, D. C.



FRIDAY

House-cleaning day! And here's a quick, easy way to make walls and woodwork sparkle and span. Make a paste of

30 MULE TEAM BORAX SOAP CHIPS

Apply with a damp cloth and see how quickly dirt, dust and finger marks will disappear. Better than any soap or cleaner and much more economical.

"It's the Borax with the Soap that does the work."

At All Dealers

Lt. H. M. Copping, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Lt. John C. Palley, Gibsonville, N. C.
Lt. A. M. Trotter, Camden, S. C.
Ser. P. G. Miller, Lancaster, Pa.
Pr. Frank A. Conklin, Newark, N. J.
Pr. S. Dussane, Schenectady, N. Y.
Pr. Harry F. Jones, Roanoke, Va.
Pr. Walter Santimaw, Potsdam, N. Y.

Died From Wounds
Capt. Geo. R. Spalding, Columbus, Ky.
Lt. Robert E. Ball, Wollaston, Mass.
Pr. W. W. Bronsah, Rochester, N. Y.
Pr. Harry E. Smith, Sterling, Ill.
Pr. J. V. Fennessy, Rochester, N. Y.
Pr. Hyman Klein, New York.
Pr. Walter F. Ryan, Fortage, Wis.

Died From Disease
Lt. Geo. C. MacNish, Stevens Pt., Wis.
Lt. G. Warner, Jamaica, Plain, Mass.
Ser. Frank A. Brown, Petersburg, Va.
Ser. Walter R. Lux, Fort Shaw, Mont.
Fireman C. Hendricks, Havre, France.
Pr. Jas. H. Enaley, Alnsworth, Neb.
Pr. R. U. Nicholson, Scotts Mills, Ore.

Died of Airplane Accident
Lt. Wm. D. Robbins, Raleigh, N. C.
Lt. John C. Wilford, Asheville, N. C.

Died From Accident and Other Causes
Capt. Karl H. Dauber, Benicia, Cal.
Ser. Arnold J. Peterson, Beloit, Wis.
Corp. Guy M. Cox, Denison, Tex.
Cook H. E. Hollingsworth, La Harpe, Kas.

New England names in the remainder of the list follow:

Wounded Severely
Pr. F. J. Blanchard, So. Manchester, Conn.

Wounded Slightly
Pr. J. L. Eastland, Pittsfield, Mass.

MR. KENNEDY HONORED

A pleasant surprise was given a few evenings ago, when Mr. Frederick J. Kennedy of 166 Shaw street, who has since left Lowell for Camp Dix, was called on by his friends and presented many farewell gifts. These included a traveling bag, leather military kit, gold mounted fountain pen, a gold-mounted cigar case and many other articles which will be useful in his military life.

His brother, Corp. Frank J. Kennedy of Camp Devens, was present during the evening. Mr. Kennedy's friends all joined in wishing him the best of luck.

He was also the recipient of the well wishes of his employers upon terminating his services at the Millings Shoe shop, after which his shop-mates presented him a valuable wrist watch.

GERMANY'S CLAIM FOR INDEMNITY FROM RUSSIA 7,000,000,000 ROUBLES

PARIS, July 12.—(Havas Agency) Germany's claim for indemnity from Russia amounts to 7,000,000,000 rubles, according to a report printed in the Berlin Vossische Zeitung of the work done by the mixed commission named to take up consideration of

LOOK FOR THE RED WHITE AND BLUE SO-CO-CON SIGN

POLARINE

the oil that crowds out friction and seals in power

Standard Oil Co. of New York.

claims growing out of the conclusion of the Brest-Litovsk peace. Immediate settlement of the claim is asked. The commission has concluded its sessions.

MILITARY DANCE AT THE KASINO

Lowell members of the 5th company, Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, and several hundred of their friends gathered at the Kasino in Thorndike street last evening and staged one of the most enjoyable military dances seen here in all the long series of similar affairs to which the city has been treated since activities first started "up there."

The Depot Brigade band of 50 pieces furnished music for the evening and the crowd more than enjoyed it. Owing to the fact that many of the soldiers present are soon to go overseas, the affair had more than usual significance and everybody tried to make the evening as merry as possible.

Private James Roane of this city and Private Satz entertained during the evening with songs and were well received. A shirtwaist was awarded to a young lady holding a "lucky number" ticket but she refused to divulge her name. A substantial amount for the company fund was realized as a result of the dance.

The officers of the company are: Capt. Charles Otis Ashton, Lieut. Harold T. Stillwell, Lieut. Horace C. Nowlin, Lieut. Charles W. Hanes, Lieut. Henry F. Pesch, Lieut. Frederick C. Warnock.

The officers of the dance were: Floor director, Norman A. Ray; aids, Joseph D. Doolittle, Julius R. Baldwin, August H. Gryzwacz, Reginald E. Cox.

GO BAREFOOTED

Warning Issued by German Clothing Department

LONDON, July 12.—"We warn you to go barefooted," is a notice to the Berlin public published by the German clothing department, as quoted in an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Amsterdam yesterday.

"We notice," continued the warning, "that recently many persons have been going about shoeless and stockingsless. This is a holy example which everyone must follow. Unless our stocks of wool are to go to waste, the practice must become increasingly popular; otherwise compulsion will be resorted to."

The newspapers, adds the message, recommend to school children and students not to fear ridicule, but to set the example of going barefooted.

SOLDIER ARRESTED FOR BREAKING AND ENTERING AND LARCENY IN SALOON

One soldier has been arrested and sent back to Camp Devens and the police are looking for another private from the camp in connection with the larceny of bottles of whiskey and money from the saloon of Boucher & Traversy at the corner of Alken street and Lakeview avenue.

The theft was committed some time during Tuesday night, the thieves gaining an entrance into the place by forcing a rear window. Twelve or fourteen bottles of the best brand of whiskey were taken away, while the cash drawers were rifled of their contents, \$18.

FUEL CONSERVATION CONFERENCE

Plans are being made to hold a fuel conservation conference at city hall next Wednesday morning under the direction of the university extension department of the state board of education. This department has arranged a series of lectures extending over several months on the matter of conservation in power plants and capable speakers have been secured to dwell on various phases of the matter.

All the plans are more or less in an embryo state locally, it is understood that a lecture will be given Wednesday morning and Wednesday afternoon a practical demonstration will be given in one of the local plants.

STUFF TO LOSE SLEEP OVER

AN EMPTY ROW BOAT WILL FLOAT BY THE WATER'S MOTION. TO SPAIN IN 321 DAYS AND 56 MINUTES—NEVER!

TO CONTROL DRUG TRADE

Conspiracy Charged Against the National Wholesale Druggists' Association

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Conspiracy with the purpose and effect of stifling competition in the wholesale drug trade was charged by the federal trade commission in a complaint today

against the National Wholesale Druggists' association, the Title Guaranty Trust Co. of New York, the organization's treasurer, and numerous individuals including the officers. Verbal and written notices are alleged to have been given the manufacturers that certain customers or prospective customers were not entitled to recognition as legitimate jobbers, according to the association's definition. Other means said to have been used were the appointment of committees to confer with manufacturers or owners for the purpose of influencing them to adopt sales methods in harmony with the policies of the National Wholesale Druggists' association; written and verbal notices

given by the secretary of the association to manufacturers that competitors not members of the association were selling below the net price named by manufacturers for re-sale; the compilation and distribution among manufacturers and wholesalers of lists of "legitimate" jobbers, and influence on various local associations of drug jobbers and wholesalers to adopt policies in harmony with the policies of the national association.

Charles E. Edwell, Omaha, Neb., is president of the association; Clarence E. Hope of Boston is one of the vice presidents; F. E. Holliday of New York is secretary. The board of control also

named in the complaint includes H. A. Jackson of Providence, R. I.

The committee on proprietary goods likewise was named.

Mrs. Norrat of Houston, Texas, writes: "I would not be without Dr. Trues's Elixir in my home." There is no better Laxative than Dr. Trues's Elixir, which has been prescribed by the medical profession for over 60 years. At all dealers, 40c, 60c, \$1.00. For further information write Dr. J. F. Trues & Co., Auburn, Me.

LOWELL — LAWRENCE — BRIDGEPORT — HARTFORD — BALTIMORE

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO CHESTER'S Clearance Sale

Held Only Once a Year

EACH DAY BRINGS LARGER CROWDS! Satisfied customers have spread the good news around, and our suits are selling so fast that we will again live up to our reputation of "NO CLOTHING CARRIED FROM ONE SEASON TO ANOTHER."

CHESTER CLOTHES at their original prices of \$15 and \$20 are sold DIRECT TO YOU, less the middleman's profit. That's why you save \$5.00 to \$10.00.

NOW is YOUR opportunity to buy these same clothes at a GREATER SAVING.

\$15 SUITS \$12.50

REGULAR \$20 VALUES

\$20 SUITS \$17.50

REGULAR \$25 VALUES

We have just received four (4) large shipments of our new Fall line; among them are fine woven 16-ounce heavy weight blue serge suits, satin lined (the lining itself is guaranteed in writing to wear for two seasons.) ALSO heavy weight worsted suits, the woollens made by Wm. Wood of Philadelphia, recognized as the finest worsteds in the world.

THIS NEW FALL LINE WILL BE INCLUDED IN THIS CLEARANCE SALE AT THE ABOVE REDUCED PRICES

15 CHESTER CLOTHES 20

MADE IN U.S.A.

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CHESTER CLOTHES

102 Central Street

In the new Strand Building. Lowell, Mass.

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Newark Men's Outing Shoes

Begins Tomorrow Morning

TOMORROW morning a great sale of Newark White and Palm Beach Canvas Oxfords begins in our stores.

These summery cool and comfortable Oxfords will go into this sale at the one flat price of \$1.85.

They are made of Sea Island White with leather or "NU-TEX" fibre soles and heels, also in leather soles and heels, and are the very essence of smartness and beauty. \$1.65 is what you save by coming for a pair quickly.

Newark Shoe Stores Co.

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Open Monday and Saturday Nights Till 10:00

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"If I Hurt You Don't Pay Me"

No matter how nervous you are or how sensitive your teeth may be, come in and let me prove the above statement.

MY PRICES ARE THE LOWEST IN LOWELL

A small per cent over the cost of material is my answer to the ordinary dentist's big prices and get all you can afford.

FULL SET TEETH.....\$5 UP

GOLD FILLINGS.....\$1.00 up

GOLD CROWNS.....\$3 and \$5

PORCELAIN CROWNS.....\$4.50

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HENRY FORD LAUNCHES FIRST "EAGLE"

DETROIT, Mich., July 12.—With-out any demonstration and with less than half a hundred spectators outside of the employees of the company, "Eagle-1," first of the submarine chasers to be built by Henry Ford, was dropped into the water at the River Rouge plant, yesterday afternoon.

"Dropped into the water," is literally correct, for that is exactly what will happen to each one of the Eagles as fast as they are built. For several days the shipbuilding plant had

been making ready for the launching of the first of the 225-foot craft.

There was no christening ceremony of any sort and for all the fuss that was made over the event at the yard it might have as well been the launching of the one-thousandth Eagle as that of the very first one.

Henry Ford, accompanied by Edsel B. Ford, and a few other executives of the Ford Motor company, arrived at the shipbuilding plant just as the launching started, but all the others present took the history-making event much as a matter of every day occurrence.

But to persons who for years had been witness of launchings of vessels in Detroit and elsewhere the event was far different. It was an event extraordinary, one never to be forgotten.

Twelve Eagles nearing completion will be launched in the next two or three days. In two weeks one Eagle will glide from the dry dock each day. There are 700 sailors encamped near the Eagle plant, and these will be placed on the boats as fast as they are floated. Present plans are to have an Eagle, manned by United States sailors, start daily on its journey to the Atlantic ocean.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears
the
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

TWO MILLION MEN

Total British Fighting Forces
Now in France Equal
Number There in 1917

PARIS, July 12.—The British fighting forces in France now aggregate two million men, says the Havas correspondent on the British front. This equals the number on the front in 1917.



FOR THROAT AND LUNGS

A Calcium compound that will bring relief in many acute and chronic cases. Provides in handiest form, a basic remedy highly recommended by science. Contains no harmful drugs. Try them today.

50 cents a box, including war tax

For sale by all druggists
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CHARGE BY BORGLUM

Intimate Death of Major
Mitchel Due to a Defec-
tive Airplane

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, who made an investigation of the American aircraft program at the request of President Wilson, in an open letter read last night at a meeting here of the American Inventors' association, discredited the theory that the accident which caused the death of Major John Purroy Mitchel was the result of failure of the aviator to fasten himself in his plane. Borglum intimated that the accident was the result of defective plane.

American training planes showed a greater casualty list than those of any other nation, he stated. He charged that one of the airplanes recently sent abroad caused the death of an aviator in much the same manner as Major Mitchel was killed.

TO STOP PROFITEERING BY WOODMEN

BOSTON, July 12.—Price-fixing is threatened by Chairman David A. Ellis of the Boston fuel committee if dealers attempt to profiteer on the demand for fire wood occasioned by the "no-coal-for-heating-till-Dec. 1" order.

"We can regulate the price of wood as well as the price of coal—and that will probably come," he declared yesterday. The order is going to stand until December 1 at all events, Chairman Ellis indicated. "The fuel committee issued the order only after long and careful consideration," he said, "and I don't believe there will be any modifications."

This statement was the answer to the protests which had begun to pour in. Mr. Ellis said the complaints came almost wholly from the wealthy "residents of the Back Bay and others" who run their big furnaces full blast all the time to take the chill off their 20-odd rooms. It is these, Chairman

Ellis asserted, who are the greatest wasters of coal.

The state fuel bureau declares that there is plenty of wood in Boston easily available. To plan activities to make certain that sufficient wood will be available, Councilor James A. Watson as chairman, has called an emergency meeting Monday afternoon of the city council committee on municipal purchases of the necessities of

life. The committee will meet at 2.30 in the council chamber. Mayor Foss and Fuel Administrator Storow are under special invitation to be in attendance.

The Chinese government will reopen a pottery that was built in 1693 and which is said to be the only place that has preserved the ancient ways of making porcelain of rare colors and designs.

WIRE FENCING
FARM FENCE, 45 and 49 inches high.
HOG FENCE, 36 and 42 inches high.
CHICKEN and RABBIT FENCE, 46 and 58 inches high.
BARBED WIRE TWISTED CABLE
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NOW IN CHARGE OF

RICHARD CLOTHES SHOP

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT GEORGE C. LARRABEE, FORMERLY OF LARRABEE & RAWLINSON, HAS ASSUMED THE MANAGEMENT OF OUR STORE, AND WILL BE THE PERMANENT RESIDENT MANAGER. HE CORDIALLY INVITES HIS FRIENDS TO CALL.

Grand Reorganization Sale

STARTED TODAY, JULY 12th

AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL ALL THE PRESENT STOCK IS SOLD

All garments must go at once to make room for new fall purchases. This stock consists only of this spring's and summer's merchandise and you have a wide variety of selection—the latest models.

These Are the Greatest Clothes Values Ever Given in Lowell

SUITS AND TOPCOATS



All Our \$15.00

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\$12.45

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Now

\$17.45

All Our \$25.00

SUITS AND TOPCOATS

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\$21.45

A TIP TO THE WISE

Under present conditions, when all clothing is rapidly advancing in price, it would pay you to take advantage of this remarkable sale, even if you put aside the garment for future wear.

The SUITS are made in every weave that has popular sanction. Among them are fine Scotch mixtures, tweeds, worsteds, cassimeres, serges, etc. Hundreds of new color combinations in medium and light shades, also plain colors.

The TOPCOATS are cut from fine light weight materials in gray, tan, and fancy shades; every suit and topcoat is well made and finished, and carries the famous guarantee of the RICHARD clothes shop—Merchandise exactly as represented and if a garment proves unsatisfactory, we will give a new one free.

All Our Blues and Blacks are Included in this Sale

"A CLOTHES SHOP FOR WAR-TIME ECONOMY"

RICHARD

69 Central Street, Lowell, Mass.

Alterations Free

Open Monday and
Saturday Evenings.



TO "SPAN" OCEAN

Plan to Bridge the Atlantic Ocean With Floats for Airplane Service

Transportation of Airplanes to France by Their Own Power Not Unlikely

A new method of ocean travel is about to be established that will shorten the war, cut down the time of mail deliveries, and send busy men shooting across the Atlantic ocean from America to Europe in about one-fifth the time that it now takes by our present steamship methods. If the plans of Alfred W. Lawson, an American pioneer in the aircraft movement, are put into effect.

Mr. Lawson, who is known all over the world as the publisher of aeronautic magazines as well as being an aviator of long standing and a manufacturer of airplanes, and who has been furnishing to congress during the past six months a bi-weekly bulletin on expert aircraft information, has just submitted to congress plans for the purpose of bridging the Atlantic ocean with floats set apart at suitable distance that will serve as landing stations for airplanes.

Mr. Lawson is of the opinion that it will require a great many years of further fighting by the allies to defeat the Germans at the present style of warfare, and that in order to whip them quickly, real aerial warfare must be established at once. He says, that up to the present time, the air programs of all nations engaged in this war are but puny affairs in comparison to what must come, and that the nation which first puts into effect a real air program will be the nation that will settle the war so quickly that the opposition will not have time to realize that it has happened.

It is the opinion of Mr. Lawson, that Germany is now preparing on a gigantic scale to spring a surprise upon the allies by starting real aerial warfare in 1919 and striking hard at the allies from above in order to gain the supremacy.

"All of the allies' air program for 1919 which I have already looked into and considered very carefully," says Mr. Lawson, "is not big enough to

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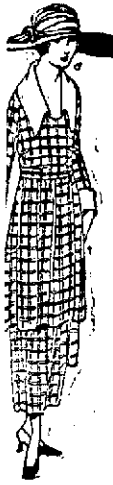
Not merely "add" prices on goods that have only a quality appearance without regard to wear and satisfaction, but up-to-the-minute and dependable merchandise at our low prices.

1500 COOL SUMMER DRESSES

The woman who loves—the different—the dainty—the beauty of exquisite workmanship will have nothing but words of praise for this winsome collection of summer frocks in figured voiles, lawn, batiste and organdie. Sizes for all. Stylish stouts, included up to 56.

\$4.98 and \$6.98

Others Up to \$25.00



Wash Skirts

An unusually splendid showing of tub skirts in pique, gabardine, poplins and cords, novelty pockets and belts. Just the thing for immediate wear. You will buy two and three when you see them.

98c, \$2.98 and \$3.98
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REAL WAIST VALUES

For the newest and best in blouse loveliness come to this live shop, where you will find Lowell's largest and most complete Waist assortments at the lowest prices.

5000 Waists in voile, lawn and organdie, those new round neck, and slip-ons and other novelties **98c**
Dainty French Voile and China Silk **\$1.98**
Blouses at

Thousands of handsome all white Blouses in crepe de chine and georgette crepe, at **\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98**



SILK DRESSES

Wonder values! In extremely smart models, for these three days. Materials are taffeta, crepe de chine, georgette crepe and charmeuse; embroidered, beaded and otherwise daintily trimmed.

\$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.50

NEW HATS

Our hats are moving quickly because of their newness and effectiveness. Hundreds of new creations for these three days at.... **\$2.98**

BATHING SUITS, \$2.98 and \$4.98

ADVANCE FALL COATS AND SUITS At Prices That Are Lower Than the Cost of the Materials.

SLIP-ON SWEATERS

Those popular waist length models with sleeves and large collars. All colors, at.... **\$3.98, \$4.98**

We make a specialty of Stylish Stouts in Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Waists.

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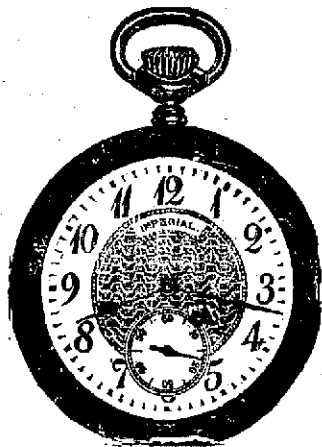
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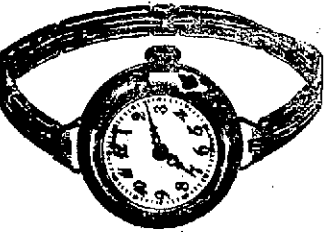
Absolutely to give entire satisfaction, or will be replaced, free of charge, at any time.

A seven-jewel Imported Swiss Watch, with a 20-year guaranteed case, already timed and regulated for immediate use. These can be had in 16-size open face or hunting cases. Worth your while to look at them for

\$5.95

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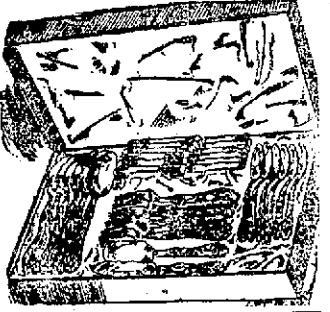
Genuine Imported Swiss Movements—such famous makes as Imperial, Princess, and L. G., with seven fine ruby jewels and a nickel movement, adjusted, in a guaranteed case, and bracelet with adjustable and flexible links. Must be seen to be appreciated, at the low price of—



\$6.50

ROGERS' SILVER SETS

This set consists of six knives, six forks, six teaspoons, six tablespoons, butter knife and sugar shell, all in quadruple plate silver, standard quality and finish; 26 pieces in all—



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Factory and Importers' Prices for Lavallieres and Pendants

Keeping the prices of solid gold lavallieres low, as I do, I serve those customers who would purchase economically in order to make a moderate appropriation cover several gifts of fine jewelry. Call and see how we manage to keep the prices low, and yet give possible value.



Values at \$1.00 Up

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SAMUEL D. GREENWALD

JEWELER

107 CENTRAL STREET

meet his extraordinary air drive which I expect to see the Kaiser attempt within the next year. In comparison I consider our own American program as only a peewee affair.

"It must be understood that even if we put into our air forces the billion dollars which congress is considering appropriating, that that will only make approximately two billion dollars that America has appropriated for its air program altogether, while Germany up to the present time has spent in the neighborhood of five billion dollars for its air program and is likely to increase its expenditures for this purpose at least another two or three billion dollars or even more during the next year.

"I have asked congress several times in my bulletins to consider seriously appropriating ten billion dollars to be used for the purpose of constructing and operating a mammoth number of airplanes with which to not only clean out the skies of German airplanes, but to clean up the Germans themselves by the shortest possible methods, which is, to strike them from behind. In other words, to knife the Kaiser where his skin is the thinnest, and that is where he is not fortified. This of course, can only be done by airplanes flying over his forts and trenches and making war upon his supplies for his warriors and the factories which turn out his munitions and his means of transportation.

"You may be sure that if we don't wake up and work this new game on the Kaiser quickly, that he is going to wake up and work it upon us. I have said, and I am willing to stake my life on it, that if the United States of America will send over to France within the next six or eight months from forty thousand airplanes to one hundred thousand airplanes within the next twelve to fourteen months, that we can whip the Kaiser and end the war before the year of 1919 is over.

"One of the big objections raised against sending across the Atlantic ocean vast numbers of airplanes was that, enough ships could not be gotten for the purpose, so to overcome that little difficulty I have formulated a plan whereby any airplanes piloted by any ordinary aviator can be sent across the Atlantic ocean within thirty hours from the time he leaves the American shore, and furthermore a thousand a day or more can be sent across, if necessary. I can also overcome any other difficulty that anybody can think of or that may arise in putting my plans into effect."

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last were published:

William F. Harrington, 78 W. Fourth, 21, beamer; Elizabeth Lavery, 117 Fayette, 21, operative.

Peter A. Yiannacopoulos, 207 School, 31, confectionery store; Dorothy J. Gavoster, same address, 18, at home.

Achille Gabriel Gaulin, 221 Pawtucket, 20, draftsman; Marie Blanche Drapau, 17 Mt. Washington, 23, at home.

Joao Espinoza Inadros, 41 Union, 20, operative; Diolinda P. da Silva, 35 Summer, 20, operative.

Arthur Bolavert, 162 Hall, 23, box-maker; Marie L. Guilmette, 164 Hall, 21, operative.

George R. Garmon, 76 Nineteenth, 25, naval aviator; Marion Estabrook, 33 Cosgrove, 20, clerk.

Charles H. Sheridan, 53 Mansur, 42, superintendent; Newton Mfg. Co. Beatrice F. Gallagher, Wellesley, Mass., 41, school teacher.

Eugene C. Kiger, Ashland, Ky., 24, U.S.A., Lydia A. Birchall, 422 Rogers, 20, bookkeeper.

Dorcy N. Tietz, Fitchburg, 23, clerk; Jennie M. Downes, 59 Royal, 23, operative.

Arthur Goodno, 26 Lawrence, 33, ammunition worker; Grace Proctor, (divorced), 21 Auburn, 38, ammunition worker.

James J. Matthews, 163 Cumberland road, 34, clerk; Alice Lavina Laprice, same address, 24, at home.

Stephen Ashton, 46 Oak, 21, U.S.C. Co., Ida May Stancombe, 5 Burgess, 23, at home.

Charles Eugene Nolan, 63 Fulton, 23, salesman; Helen C. Scully, 42 Barker, 19, U.S.C. Co.

Harold M. Hayes, Foxcroft, Me., 24, law student; Mabel M. MacFadyen, 50 Fulton, 19, bookkeeper.

Matthew Schury, 315 Market, 38, laborer; Agnes Apostolon, 389 Market, 20, operative.

Andrew G. Beltrakin, 888 Merrimack, 28, shoe worker; Konstantina T. Gourdanihali, 824 Market, 27, pooler.



"CHANGE IN THRIFT STAMPS, MISTER?"



BUY NOW

Avoid the 50 per cent. tax proposed on jewelry sales.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.—The Ways and Means Committee proposes a tax of 50 per cent. on retail prices of jewelry.

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient

This proposed law will cause the price of jewels and everything in the jewelry stores to soar 50 per cent. higher. Buy while the prices are low.

Alarm Clocks \$1.25 to \$3.00

Parlor Clocks \$4.00 to \$10.00

Kitchen Clocks \$3.00 to \$5.00

Ladies' Solid Gold Rings, \$2.50 to \$10.00

Gents' Solid Gold Rings, \$4.00 to \$15.00

WATCHES—Military Watches, \$4.50 to \$25.00

Ladies' Gold Wrist Watches, \$10.00 to \$35.00

Ladies' and Gents' Watches in large variety of prices and designs.

BUY YOUR WEDDING PRESENTS, ENGAGEMENT RINGS, CUT GLASS AND FUTURE NEEDS IN THE JEWELRY LINE NOW, WHILE THE PRICES MAKE IT POSSIBLE.

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"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."

—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, sideache, headache, nervousness or "the blues" should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

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CAMP NEWS

TWO COMPANIES AT CAMP DEVENS JUST TEACH FEET TO BEHAVE

CAMP DEVENS, July 11.—"One—two—three—four!"

"Pick up those feet! Make 'em behave!"

That's all they do in two companies here, teach feet to behave. They are the two new orthopedic companies just formed in the 1st Development Battalion, another of the entirely novel experiments being tried in the army; and Devens, as usual, is leading the way.

All companies were told to send men whose feet were so flat that the soldiers were handicapped in their drilling, to Capt. Alexander Smart's battalion, and to his surprise he found one company wouldn't hold them all. In another company of the battalion Capt. Smart has placed the men who knew so little English that they couldn't keep up with the other rookies; and another sort of special training has had to be mapped out for that company.

Gen. Sec. Arthur Hoffmire of the Y. M.C.A. has put the educational department of his organization at Capt. Smart's disposal and special classes are being formed.

The English course in the development battalion will be of four months, with a possible two months' post-graduate course for some. In groups of from 15 to 20 men each the non-English speaking American soldiers are given language lessons for two and three hours daily.

There is still another company in the battalion comprising men who are "backward pupils." In squads they are given elementary training by patient officers and noncoms.

SEVEN OFFICERS LEAVE

The whole purpose of the development battalion is to save for the army men who would otherwise have to be rejected. They will be turned out to go into any organization, or they will be given discharges when they show ability to improve.

The first officer to come out of Plattsburg a captain last fall and rise to rank of lieutenant colonel is Robert L. Whipple of the 301st Engineers, whose promotion was announced yesterday.

FOLLOWED HER DOCTOR'S ORDERS

Many rheumatic people suffer pains that could be avoided by building up the blood. When rheumatism is associated with thin blood it cannot be corrected until the blood is made rich and red.

Mrs. Peter Fitzer of 10 Holt street, North Billerica, Mass., used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to combat the effects of rheumatism accompanied by attacks of indigestion. This is her experience. "I was living in Nova Scotia some years ago and contracted a severe cold. The next day I was confined to bed. Sharp pains started in my right shoulder and nearly drove me mad. They worked down to my right knee which was stiff and sore, and went to my hands. I could not sleep and was in terrible pain all the time. My knees were swollen.

"My stomach was affected and I would have terrible pains after eating. Gas would form and I would have smothering sensations and could eat but little. I was very nervous. My doctor advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and as I had heard of a boy who had St. Vitus' dance and had been benefited by these pills I was encouraged to try them. After I had taken three boxes I was much better, the pains in my shoulder and limbs were not so intense. I took several more boxes and the pains left me. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills certainly built up my blood and restored my strength."

A valuable booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," containing much information about rheumatism is free on request. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50 by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

WOMAN WHO WENT OVERSEAS DISGUISED AS SOLDIER, DIES AT LORDBURG, N. M.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., July 12.—Mrs. Hazel Carter, who last fall went in an infantry regiment from Douglas to France, disguised as a soldier, died at Lordburg, N. M., yesterday. Her husband, a corporal in the regiment, is still in France. Her identity and sex were discovered shortly before the ship bearing the troops reached its destination, and she was sent back to the United States.

Soon we shall hear of the Devens Press club, a soldiers' affair. Company Clerk Stuart C. Maguire and John W. Hammond, editor of Trench and Camp, are calling a meeting of all men in the ranks who would like to turn over news for a camp publication, and a lively sheet it promises to be.

The Knights of Columbus are to have a new building in camp, costing nearly \$7000, it was announced yesterday by Sec. Arthur Cooper. It will be located in the Depot Brigade area.

Col. Byroade, just assigned to the Depot Brigade here, reported yesterday. He enlisted in the regular army in 1894, worked up through the ranks to a captaincy and retired. Since the war he came back into the service with his present rank and has been assigned to Norwich university.

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Most extraordinary are these dainty voiles and organdies at this price. You won't find their equal anywhere in town.

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Value to 15.00

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Materials such as these we shall not be able to get again. Included are extra heavy quality silk in box pleated and plain models. All sizes and colors.

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Beautiful taffeta, georgette and crepe de chine dresses, many beaded or embroidered. Unusual values.

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79c, 98c, 1.98, 2.85, 5.00

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Exceptional waist values in both cotton and silk. Most of them made to sell much higher.

Great July Clearance Sale of Our Entire Stock of Girls' and Misses' Apparel

GIRLS' 1.98 WASHABLE DRESSES in new gingham and chambrays, sizes 6 to 12. Clearance Price **1.00**
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FINAL REDUCTIONS IN GIRLS' COATS
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GIRLS' and JUNIORS' FINE WHITE ORGANDIE FROCKS, high waist effects, prettily trimmed, reduced to **3.98**

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Choice Millinery

We have a very special assortment of hats in the most wanted styles, to sell at a sacrifice, in order to make room for our exclusive fall stock. Flower Trimmed Hats, Ribbon and Georgette Hats, Small Sport Hats.

Prices—
\$8.98 and \$9.98, now ... **\$5.98**
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Also a Lot of 150 Trimmed Hats at the very low price of **98c**

THE FASHION

115 MERRIMACK STREET

FLAG AT HALF-MAST FOR WAR HERO

President William M. Wood, of the American Woolen Company upon learning that Ernest Russell, killed in action in France, was a former employee of the Washington mills in Lawrence, directed that the flag on the mill be placed at half-staff as a tribute of honor and grief upon the part of the workers and the company.

Mr. Wood also announced that the practice of honoring former soldier-employees hereafter would be followed in all the 54 mills of the company.

"We will follow this rule for the duration of the war," said Mr. Wood, "as an evidence of sorrow and as an appreciation of their sacrifice by those of us behind them in the industrial trenches to whom the privilege of fighting on the front lines has been denied up to the present."

"I know that our workers will help out the mill executives in this matter and, in the event that the folks of the boy should not know of this new practice, we hope that the fallen hero's mill mates will notify the office of the agent in the unfortunate event of such a death."

REVOLUTIONISTS ARE MARCHING ON MOSCOW

PARIS, July 12 (Havas Agency).—M. Tchernoff, a leader of the Russian social revolutionists, is marching on Moscow at the head of numerous bands of unarmed peasants, says a despatch from Stockholm to the Matin. Part of his force had arrived in the outskirts of the Bolshevik capital.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM LOWELL SOLDIERS IN THE WAR ZONE

Two snappy letters from Lowell boys: In all directions, he acquires a whole-some respect for it.

I have been "fortunate" enough to participate in two raiding excursions and, believe me, it was "some" exciting. I should like to go into more explicit details in regard to these parties, but it is absolutely forbidden to divulge the outcome of such an endeavor.

How is everything in Lowell? It has been some time since I have been in that little old town but, believe me, I hold a large spot in my heart for her. Before coming over here, I had been over a considerable portion of the United States, Canada and Mexico, but have been nowhere that could compare with Lowell. At the present time we are located in rest billets in a small village just behind the lines. We do not know how long we will be here but expect to return to the front almost any day or night.

Regards to all the people in Lowell and here's trusting that you will be able to use this letter.

Yours sincerely,
FRANK E. KENNEY.

The second letter comes from Private E. J. Mullarkey of the headquarters company of the 101st regiment and reads as follows:

June 15, 1918.

The Same Old Mud-hole

Dear Sirs: Receiving your papers and being a Lowellite myself, I take the privilege of writing to you these few lines, hoping that you will print them in the near future just to let our friends and loved ones at home know that we have not yet answered the final call.

With me in the same dugout are four more Lowell boys representing Centralville, Belvidere and the Acre, all former members of the old Sixth Mass. regiment. Billy Quinn of Co. M just came in and wanted to know if I had any doughnuts. I told him I was sorry but Wednesday is doughnut day in the army. Billy can't find a piano up in

these diggings so he is picking on Fritz for exercises.

Having received some of your papers, I see where Lowell went over the top in the loan drive. Keep it up, Lowell, we are all with you. Though we are up in the lines we still get some music. Our latest song is "When the Flowers Bloom in No Man's Land What a Wonderful Day That Will Be."

Billy Quinn has the words and music and he is going to send it later.

Jack Ganley is with us. It is a great saying in the army: one soldier, one bunk; but Ganley doesn't think so. He puts Sullivan to the wall every night. All that worries Sullivan is that someone else will be there while he is gone.

All the boys want to know if writing material has gone up as mail is very scarce in camp. I am writing this by candle light as our electric lights were put out of commission. There was great excitement this evening while the boys were scoffing; Fritz sent over a few kisses and you should have seen the boys scatter. We have the French beaten to a frazzle and it comes to ducking.

It is rumored that we are to be relieved shortly and we'll try to get our pictures taken and send them to you. Tomorrow will be a big day for "Stull" when he will have about 2000 dough-

nuts to make. Best regards to you and all at home.

Privates JOSEPH SULLIVAN, JOHN GANLEY, ERNEST BROWN, CHARLES BUK, BILLY QUINN, E. J. MULLARKEY.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

NIGHT OPERATOR—ALL IN

Vinol Made Him Feel Better, Look Better, Sleep Better

Springfield, Mass.—"I am a night operator—was all run-down, couldn't sleep, had no ambition—I had tried blood and nerve tonics without help—and thought I would try Vinol and I must say it has built me up so I feel better, look better and sleep better."—Charles T. Harder.

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mr. Harder's case, is because it contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates, the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run-down system, make rich, red blood and create strength.

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COMMERCIAL BODIES FOR FORD CHASSIS

FOOD CONTROL

Will Continue in England
After Ending of Hostilities,
Says Clynes

Tribute to American "Spirit
of Patriotism"—Will Wel-
come Hoover

LONDON, July 12.—Food control in England probably will continue for at least a short while after the ending of hostilities, according to John R. Clynes, the new head of the food ministry. Discussing this subject, with the Daily Telegraph, he said:

"Whether the food ministry will be continued after the war depends on how long the war lasts, but it is clear the conditions created will not suddenly disappear when it is ended and for a considerable time the allied nations will be required to act in co-operation both as regards supplies and prices until normal conditions reappear. People of this country have little idea of our indebtedness to America and the colonies for the abundance and regularity of our food supplies. Conditions of transportation have improved enormously."

He paid tribute to the American "spirit of patriotism" which had been willing to undergo sacrifices in order to feed England. He said he would welcome H. C. Hoover, the American food administrator, who is expected in England shortly.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.
Automobile insurance, fire, theft and liability. Dan J. O'Brien, Wyman's Bx.
Mr. John J. Foye and Mr. Daniel J. Foye of the Park hotel are attending the Elks' convention at Atlantic City.

Mr. John Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Marshall of 14 London street, was presented a handsome leather bag by his father in behalf of the family at the close of the evening meal yesterday. John left Lowell this morning for Boston, where he will be forwarded to the Radio school to complete his training. Before leaving this morning the young man made his mother a present of a Liberty bond.

CHOLERA SPREADING
IN PETROGRAD

LONDON, July 12.—Owing to the grave shortage in food, cholera is on the increase in Petrograd and hundreds of persons are daily falling victims to it, says a Russian wireless despatch received today.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Note.—Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"A Desert Wedding" with beautiful Enid Bennett in the principal character, is the engrossing picture being shown at the B. F. Keith theatre, the final half of the present week. It is a brand new release, and it shows this capable artist in one of the best roles of her career. Jack Holt as the masterly husband is also right up to the level of the star in the work of capably presenting this play. Imagine a doctor shooting a man, and then being compelled to minister to that man, and quite forgetting his feelings as a disappointed lover gets his nerve together and pulled the wounded man through. That's one of the unusual situations of this very interesting photo-drama. The action takes place at a perfectly wonderful ranch somewhere in the west. The scenery is far above what is ordinarily shown, and the ranch buildings are marvelous. Nothing quite so good has been shown in pictures in a long time. The long cast shows evidences of being very carefully chosen. The second feature which shows Japan and the United States—the Orient and the Occident—is "Who Is to Blame?" and it is a pretty little romance with Jack Livingston in the role of the husband who didn't like to be left alone. The Hearst-Pathe News is crammed with current views.

THE STRAND

"The Yellow Ticket," one of the most absorbing and thrilling film dramas ever presented on a local screen, is winning genuine favor with the patrons of The Strand. If you haven't seen it, be sure and make arrangements for visiting the theatre before the week-end. Then there are the Leo children in one of their most amusing comedy dramas, "We Should Worry." You will chuckle all over at this pair. Their antics are laughable, while the story of the film is interesting from first to last. The new Pathe Weekly and a new comedy contributes to the pleasure of the bill. Don't forget that there are 500 ten cent seats on sale at all performances.

LAKEVIEW PARK

Lakeview park showed something the circus didn't, yesterday, trained bears, and free performances will be given the rest of the week, afternoon



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LEGS OF GENUINE SPRING LAMB	25c	PORK CHOPS	25c
PORK LOINS, to roast	22c	LEMONS, doz.	25c
FRESH SHOULDERS, Boston cut (small)	25c	LAMB CHOPS	25c
LEGS OF VEAL	20c	A wonderful display of Fruit and Vegetables.	
LARGE WATERMELONS, red and ripe	50c	A varied assortment of Fresh Fish.	
PEACHES, 2 dozen	35c	LIVE LOBSTERS	35c
ESSEX COFFEE, 1 lb. will convince you	28c	ALASKA RED SALMON	25c

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Baldwin Apples, 3 lb. can	15c	Maine Corn	12½c	Western Eggs, doz.	39c
Pork and Beans, (with tomato sauce), 2 cans	25c	Peas (early June)	14c	No. 3 Pail Butterine	69c
Borden's Milk, tall	12½c	Tomato Soup	8c	Fancy Mild Cream Cheese, lb.	30c
Mince Meat	8c	(6 cans 89c)		Peanut Butter (fresh made) lb.	20c
Palm Olive Soap (with coupon)	2 Cakes 8c	Golden West Peaches (yellow cling)	20c	Marigold Butterine (with coloring) lb.	29c
Lighthouse Cleanser	4c	Pears (heavy syrup) 3 lb. can	15c	Fresh Roasted Coffee, lb.	15c
Ammonia (extra strong)	5c	Van Camp's Pork and Beans	11c	Formosa and Japan Tea (mixed) lb.	33c
Pure Castile Soap	5c	Marrow Squash, can	17c	Pure Cocoa, lb.	20c
California Beans, lb.	12c	Baking Powder (1 lb. can)	14c	Orange Marmalade (home made)	17c
Yellow Eye Beans, lb.	12½c	Toasted Corn Flakes	9c	Strawberry and Raspberry Jelly	39c
Powdered Borax (20-Mule-Team)	11c	Granulated Corn Meal (white or yellow) 5 lbs.	23c		
Sunlight Soap	5c	Large Plums (in syrup)	14c		
		Table Butterine (cut from tub) lb.	25c		

and evening. Helliott's performing bears, they are called, and the four animals are a delight to grownups and children alike. They work on the outdoor stage, and they come direct from the New York Hippodrome. Musical two band concerts, afternoon and evening, by the American band, P. J. Burleigh, leader.

AINSMITH AND JUDGE OF SENATORS
ORDERED TO WORK OR
FIGHT

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Edward Ainsmith, catcher of the Washington American league club and Joe Judge, first baseman, have been ordered to engage in useful occupations or be placed in class one, by their local draft boards.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BREASON—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah M. Breason will take place Saturday morning from the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage at 8:15 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be said at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

DOLAN—The funeral of John J. Dolan will take place Saturday morning from his late home, 22 Chambers st. at 8 o'clock. At St. Peter's church a high mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Foy.

SHEA—The funeral of Virginia M. Shea will take place this afternoon from the home of her parents, James E. and Mary E. Shea, 237 Vermont street, at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under direction of P. H. Savage, undertaker.

OSGOOD—Died in West Burke, Vt., July 10. Mrs. Carrie M. Osgood. Funeral services will be held at her home, 151 Cabot street, Lowell, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial private. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

SNOW—Died in this city July 11, at her home, 11 Livermore street, Mrs. Frances L. Snow, aged 64 years. 7 days. Funeral services will be held from her home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. Please omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mildred M. Sullivan will take place Saturday morning from her home, 37 Madison street, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's church at 9:15 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League				
Boston	4	Chicago	6	
Cleveland	1	New York	6	
Philadelphia	3	St. Louis	5	
Detroit	2	Washington	5	

National League

Chicago	4	Boston	3	first game, 10 innings
Chicago	3	Boston	2	second game.
Pittsburgh	5	New York	4	
Cincinnati	7	Brooklyn	2	
Philadelphia	5	St. Louis	2	

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American				
	Won	Lost	P.C.	
Boston	46	32	.590	
Cleveland	45	36	.556	
New York	41	34	.547	
Washington	40	35	.532	
Chicago	37	38	.487	
St. Louis	37	39	.487	
Detroit	31	44	.413	
Philadelphia	30	45	.400	

National

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	52	23	.693
New York	46	28	.622
Pittsburgh	37	26	.587
Philadelphia	34	37	.479
Boston	32	37	.464
Cincinnati	31	40	.437
Brooklyn	30	42	.417
St. Louis	29	45	.400

GAMES TOMORROW

National League				
Boston	at	Chicago		
New York	at	Pittsburgh		
Philadelphia	at	St. Louis		
Brooklyn	at	Cincinnati		

American League

Chicago	at	Boston
Cleveland	at	New York
St. Louis	at	Philadelphia
Detroit	at	Washington

HONORABLE DISCHARGE

Private Matthew F. Wholey of this city has been discharged from Camp Devens, where he had been stationed since last fall, on account of physical disability. He has received an honorable discharge from the service.

DEATHS

BOWLES—Donald Wallace, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bowles, aged 2 years and 1 day, died today at the home of his parents, 966 Middlesex street.

BREASON—Mrs. Hannah M. Breason, widow of Philip, died yesterday at the Chelmsford Street hospital, at the age of 65 years. The deceased was a member of the Holy Family sodality of St. Patrick's church. She leaves a nephew, Albert Warren. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

OSGOOD—Mrs. Carrie M. Osgood, wife of Daniel L., died Wednesday at West Burke, Vt. She leaves one son, Harold N. of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. A. M. Foster of Dorchester, and Mrs. W. A. King of Concord, N. H., and one brother, M. P. Ranger of Lowell.

SCANLON—Martin Scanlon, aged 5

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months, 9 days, beloved infant son of John and Nellie Riley Scanlon, died this morning at the home of his parents, 5 McGovern's court, Lakeview av.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SHEA—Virginia M. Shea, aged 1 year and daughter of James T. and Mary T. Shea, died last night at the home of her parents, 439 Varnum avenue.

SNOW—Mrs. Frances L. Snow died yesterday at her home, 11 Livermore street, at the age of 64 years. She leaves her husband, Frank E. Snow; one sister, Mrs. Emma Hession of Nashua; three brothers, William Fulton of Ohio, Fred and Charles of New York; also one niece. She was a member of Worthen Street Methodist church.

FUNERALS

ALDRICH—The funeral of Mrs. Annie M. Aldrich, wife of Sidney T., was held from her home yesterday afternoon. The services were performed by Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. H. E. Symonds and Harry C. Needham. The bearers were: Herman DeGaur, Thomas Bridges, Alden Matthews and William Webb. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

BRADLEY—The funeral of James T. Bradley took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 35 Haines ave., and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O.M.I. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were William Nelson, Joseph Garrity, Patrick Sexton

and Dominick Meehan representing Division 11, A.O.H., and Michael J. Dineen and John Hastings. The burial was in St. Bernard's cemetery, Fitchburg. At the grave Rev. Fr. Donovan read the committal prayers and the arrangements were in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COUPE—The funeral of Catherine Coupe took place this morning from her late home, 267 Worthen street, at 8:15 o'clock and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Curtin. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were George Coupe, James Fitzgerald, Joseph Coupe, Geo. Coupe, Jr., Paul O'Neill and Leo O'Neill. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Joseph Curtin reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge of funeral arrangements.

In attendance at the funeral were the following out-of-town people: Mr. and Mrs. J. George Coupe and family, New York; Mr. James Fitzgerald of Everett; Mr. and Mrs. John Dee and family of Concord; Mrs. Annie O'Brien, Fall River; Miss Alice Fowler of Providence; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fowler,

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ROACH—The funeral services of John H. Roach took place yesterday afternoon at the rooms of Undertakers Young & Blake, Rev. N. W. Matthews of the Gorham Street P. M. church officiating. Mrs. Charles F. Young sang appropriate selections. I.O.O.F., M.U. 7102, was represented by Frank Cleveland Jr., Noble Grand William Mack, Vice Grand Albert Currier and John Cardfield, who acted as bearers. Burial was in I.O.O.F., M.U. lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the I.O.O.F., M.U. burial service was read.

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What with the increases in wages voluntary and otherwise and many other unusual municipal expenditures, the tax-rate will undoubtedly bound upward this year and the result will be another increase of rents. When that time comes perhaps it will not be quite so popular to pose as a champion wage-raiser at city hall.

The local street railway is now keeping on schedule time on lines on which before the increase of fare, it was considered impossible. The ease with which this is done now has led some patrons to wonder why it was not done before.

CITY CHARTER

So the controversy over the new charter is to be aired in court. There are legal points involved which it may be well to have cleared up in the interest of the general public. If Plan B is not given a place on the ballot, the best method of securing a change from the present charter would be to have an organization formed to ask the legislature to make certain modifications on Plan B for adoption by the city of Lowell. Plan C is very generally regarded as wholly unsuitable for our local needs.

LAKE'S SUBMARINE

Simon Lake, the inventor of a merchant submarine, urges the government to build a number of ships which can sail under water in case of danger. He claims there is no way of effectually combating the submarines except by other submarines such as he has designed. He offers his services gratis to the government in supervising the construction of such vessels. It would be well to have a few such submarines; and with that end in view it is desirable to test the merits of Mr. Lake's invention. If it is all he says it is, it should be utilized.

TRIBUTE TO WILSON

That was a notable speech made by former Premier Asquith at the banquet of the Liberal club in London on Wednesday night. He paid a glowing tribute to President Wilson for having "taken the greatest decision of the age in which he carried the people with him and justified his course in state papers worthy to live side by side with the most inspiring utterance of his most famous predecessors." Mr. Asquith laid great stress upon President Wilson's plea for a league of nations after the war to enforce peace, stating that it is one in which Great Britain can heartily join.

The statement of Admiral Sims to the effect that the "submarine menace has been overcome as we are destroying them faster than the Germans can build them" was nothing new, but coming from Admiral Sims it can be relied upon as correct.

FOOD LAW PENALTIES

Thus far the food administration has imposed \$90 penalties for violation of the food laws, 150 of these carrying suspension of the dealers' license to do business. It is too bad to have so many put in the light of opposing the government in its efforts to prosecute the war to a success, but it has all resulted from one of two things, either a desire to make unwarranted profits, or taking a blind chance in ignorance of the law. Large houses are very closely watched and cannot afford to violate the regulations by charging excessive prices, but many of the small dealers are not so particular. They know the government does not pay so much attention to them, but if any of them be reported for violating the law, they will be dealt with just as rigorously as if they were engaged in larger transactions.

THE CORNMEAL MENU

Politics may make strange bed-fellows, but, believe us, war produces unusual appetites! Before the war our neighbor to the north didn't grow enough corn for chicken feed, and ate no corn beyond the roasting ears. The Canadian appetite wouldn't adjust itself to Yankee cornmeal and corn bread, they said. But now, something has happened to that appetite—war! Canada is going on a corn ration. Canada wants to save more of her several hundred million bushels of wheat crop this fall for her allies and ours who must have wheat to eat or starve.

And so she is going to sit right down with the U. S. A. to breakfasts of cornmeal mush and corn cakes. When she develops a fine taste for corn, her farmers will redouble their efforts to produce corn which will grow in more flourishing manner in the short summers of Alberta and Saskatchewan. That will increase Canada's meat crop and the fertility of her fields.

GENERAL CROWDER'S EXAMPLE

General Crowder declines the offer of appointment as lieutenant-general, saying in effect that he is but one of many Americans who helped to make the selective draft a success. Many of these he says are working without pay and others for a mere fraction of what their services are worth. The general says there are 15,000 men in the United States who have worked with him and without whom his work would be futile. Outside this class of draft board officials, he says there are other thousands of helpers who

SEEN AND HEARD

A fellow is more liable to stick to his colors if the colors don't run.

Inconsistent

Witness—He looked me straight in the eye and—
Lawyer—There, sir, you've flatly contradicted your former statement.

"How so?"
"You said before that he bent his gaze on you. Will you please explain how he could look you straight in the eye with a bent gaze?"—London Tit-Bits.

Well, What is It Anyway?

One chap in a local business house is much given to pondering over problems he never satisfactorily settles. It used to be the puzzling question as to why a south pole explorer should freeze to death, when everybody knows that the farther south you go the hotter it gets. "He might have burned to a cinder, but he couldn't have died of cold"—that was as far as the local thinker ever got with that problem.

Now the by-word of the business house employee is, "What is a whale?" And the antiphrastic response always is, "Ask Frank—he doesn't know either." Frank (we'll call him that) is painstakingly gathering information. He learns that the "whale's" manner of raising its young brands it as a mammal. He learns the whale is warm-

blooded, that it comes up for air (or to play it's a fountain) that means the thing is an animal—but, no, it lives in the water and swims like a fish, and looks like a fish, too. Yes, by Jove, it is a fish—that is maybe!

At the present stage of his investigation Frank has arrived at this conclusion: "It is; it isn't." In which he is not much different from any other citizen. Only Frank refuses to dismiss the subject from his mind.—Brooklyn Enterprise.

Hammer Welders

Here's a gag that goes The rounds of every Office. A new lad is hired, and he shows Signs of handling the Goods and the old help Around the works give Him the glad hand, thus—
"That new guy is a Corner. He's got the Goods. Watch his smoke, etc. The new rasb is a diamond in the rough with all the Lads until he begins to Show some polish that Catches the boss' glims. Then the same gang turns The punch on him, and And figure he's walking Away with part of their Cake. This is the way you Figure it. A new buddy in The office is all the fine Stuff as long as he doesn't Get off the round of the Ladder he started on, but As soon as he displays Signs of mooning up on An even notch with the Other birds, and shows Symptoms of going on up Past them, then the bias Takes a different tune. The same dude reads the same In every stumbling of life. You're all right with foras, When they're not, the edge On you, but when you start Punching the old pep bug That makes things look like It's gonna be noisy for you, Out comes a squad of double Barrel hammers to pound on You, what they call, "Just luck!"

Some Nymphs there were who kept a Public School Upon an ancient island. Subject to their rule Was one young merry-minded god Named Bacchus, who, having outgrown the rod, Bade farewell to the school and, in a boyish way, Soug'd some small souvenir "to take away."

The Gift of Bacchus

(A Legend.)

So, rooting up a wilding vine, said he, "Come, tender trifle! Come along with me. He knew not what its merit, what its fruit, protect its naked root. He earthed it in a bird's skull, which he found Lying hard by upon the enchanted ground.

He veraged homeward, but too soon Found its slight soil and narrow cell. So Bacchus sought again and picking up A lion's skull he set one bony cup Within the other, filling up the space With that sweet mold, given of the forest's grace And found in all the world no other place.

Again he journeyed and again the pot Failed to sustain the vine. Again he sought And this time found an ass's skull to hold The lion's and a gift of freshening mold.

So, bearing home the vine, thus triple-crowned, He thrust it, skull and all, within the ground. And there it thrived and there it bore such fruit As might inspire a poet and his lute. Or, by its prime perfection, make him mute.

Then Bacchus pressed the product of the vine And gave it unto man and called it "Wine." Oh, Bacchus! by what tragic, magic malice Did you distill some savor of each chalice? For first, man sips and sings like any bird; He drinks again—his lion-voice is heard; Surely a third libation—but alas! The third drink makes him nothing but an ass!

EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

PRINCESS LODGE

At a recent meeting of the members of Princess lodge, 12, independent order of Daughters of St. George, the following officers were inducted into office: President, Anne Northam; vice president, Bessie Williams; recording secretary, Ann Haigh; financial secretary, Grace I. Aspinall; treasurer, Hannah M. Orrell; chaplain, Sarah Potter; first conductor, Edith Northam; assistant conductor, Nora Marshall; inside guard, Elizabeth Crumie; outside guard, Lillian Flint; trustee, Anna Tart. They were installed by District Deputy Grand President Margaret Farrington and suite, of Lady Washington lodge, 5, of Lawrence. The D.D.G.P., on behalf of Princess lodge, presented the retiring past president, Ann Tart, a past president's gold pin. Clara Northam has been elected representative, and Elizabeth Green, alternate, to the grand lodge convention, which meets in Bridgeport, Conn., the last week in September.

WITH THE FIREMEN

An alarm from box 19 at 5.55 o'clock yesterday afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to North Franklin court, for a slight roof fire. No damage.

A motorcycle ablage in the Buick garage in Appleton street was responsible for the sounding of an alarm from box 232 at 5.50 o'clock last evening. The blaze was quickly extinguished and little damage was caused.

A Unique Call For Men

New York begins today a week's call for men in response to call issued in the history of war service. Gen. Pershing has asked the Y.M.C.A. to send him 4000 men above the draft age for very special duty. This city

is confidently expected to furnish a thousand of them.

Good men are wanted who are also good fellows. That is the general statement of the case. The job is that of helping to maintain the morale of our forces abroad; of keeping the fighting men clean and fit; of supplying comfort and, where needed, counsel; of being in all sorts of ways, behind the lines, friends, comrades and helpers.

Men are desired, for one thing, who have had experience in handling other men; who have big hearts, clear minds, mature judgment, cool tempers; the types of men who have made successful heads of industries and departments, good managers, good salesmen. But it is important that the body of 4000 shall be rich in fellows who can box; who can run and wrestle; who can play a good game at baseball or football; who can tell a good story, sing a song, lead a rousing chorus.

As has been said, Gen. Pershing's call is unique. It opens to straight-thinking, active men, aged 31 to 50, a sphere of personal energy and influence to the like of which there has been no such official summons. To be a man doing a real bit in this line of service will be splendid. And it will be war! Will New York really need a whole week to make response.—N. Y. World.

IRELAND'S PRESS CENSOR POPULAR

(By Associated Press.)

DUBLIN, (By Mail).—Seldom can a person burdened with the duties of an important censorship lay claim to any considerable degree of popularity, but Ireland possesses a press censor who is really popular even with the men whose writings he is compelled to blue-pencil and criticize. The Irish press censor is Lord Decies, well known in the United States, and all classes of Irish newspapermen appear to be agreed that he is the right man for the place.

Lord Decies' censorship office is located on two upper floors in a building on Grafton street, Dublin,—above a barber-shop and a billiard-room. Irishmen hate ceremony and unneces-

sary formality and Lord Decies is not in the least pompous or ceremonious. He is always ready to meet and talk with the men whose "copy" he censors, and when the business of the moment is finished, he is ready to chat with them for a few minutes on the favorite Irish topics of sport and horses, on both of which subjects he is an expert.

The key to Lord Decies' success as a censor, however, is probably that he has succeeded in convincing all classes of Irishmen whether Sinn Fein or Orangemen, of his absolute impartiality and fairness to both sides. One of the best tributes to his popularity is that he is occasionally made the subject of newspaper jokes. He has pasted on the walls of his office some of the extraordinary letters and clippings which have reached him. In several of these he is jokingly addressed as "His Royal Highness, the Lord High Executioner of Copy, Dublin."

Lady Decies, his wife was Vivian Gould of New York.

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If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain multi-fied cocoanut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the ordinary soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

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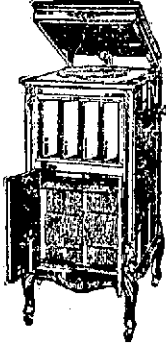
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ployment of Thousands of
Loafers

BOSTON, July 12.—Every male resident of Massachusetts between 18 and 60 years of age, must be engaged in a "useful" occupation, according to the terms of the Greenwood "anti-loafing" law, which went into operation today. In conjunction with the federal "work or fight" regulations, the law is expected by the authorities to result in the employment of thousands of men who are now either habitual loafers,

or engaged in occupations of doubtful worth. Men who are not working or who are not doing "useful" work, were obliged to register with police officials today throughout the state. Efforts will be made to help them obtain useful employment and in the meantime they must report to the police weekly. Those who fail to register are liable to arrest after today.

What constitutes useful work is not set forth in the law and police authorities have declined to define it in advance. Individuals have been left to decide their own cases until a test case has been made in the courts.

"WORK OR FIGHT" AND

"ANTI-LOAFING" LAWS

Throughout Massachusetts there appears to be widespread confusion relative to the "work or fight" and the "anti-loafing" laws.

The "work or fight" is a federal law which gives the provost marshal general the authority to make regulations having the force of law as to the classification and treatment of men of draft age.

The "anti-loafing" statute was passed by the Massachusetts legislature on petition of Representative Fred P. Greenwood of Everett and provides

that men between 18 and 60 years of age must be engaged in some useful occupation at least 36 hours a week.

JOHN ROBINSON'S CIRCUS MADE BIG HIT

Almost a century ago John Robinson conceived the idea of a travelling show for the amusement of the people, something out of the ordinary, something that would cause them to talk and wish for the same aggregation to return on the next year. In those days the entire outfit was moved from town to town on immense wagons, and as they rattled through the rough country highways the little communities were awakened to the fact that the great John Robinson circus, or caravan as it was then termed, was on its way to the next show place. From the start the enterprise was a success and the organization has never diverged from its original purpose of presenting an entertainment that would meet the approval of the particular public. The new great John Robinson railroad show was in Lowell yesterday and those who saw it are glad that it came, because during the two hour program there was presented a series of bewildering acts, special stunts, animal acts, death defying stunts, and the odd antics of a score of clowns, wonderful horsemanship, and in fact a grand series of acts that held the attention to the fullest extent. The show presents what it adver-

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And there were no disappointments. The show does not claim to be the largest show in the world but it is a grand entertainment organization with two big rings and an elevated stage, where the various numbers of the long and varied program are presented. Unlike many of the big shows those who do not occupy the reserved seat section are treated fully as well as the holders of the coupon seats as in front of the general admission sections there are presented equally sensational acts as those in any other sections of the show. This consideration was one which brought special favorable comment.

During the assembly of the patrons in the big tent there is presented a high class musical program by the Robinson Consolidated band. This is followed by the rendition of the National Anthem and the unfurling of an immense American flag. From that moment and after the master of ceremonies blows his whistle the big amphitheatre becomes a seething scene of life. There is a grand parade of blooded stock well mounted and all in spectacular strappings, presenting Arabs, Egyptians, men of the desert, camels and elephants and others familiar to ancient Asia.

The remainder of the program is such as to hold the closest attention. The two vast ring arenas are active with life, and fairly teem with acrobatic stunts almost superhuman and feats of equine agility that are bewildering. The horse show alone is well worth the price of admission as in the lot are several handsome steeds the equal of which has never been seen here.

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DR. DONLAN PREPARED TO USE FORCE

BOSTON, July 12.—"The battle of
Long Island" is scheduled today to
take its place as a decisive engage-
ment in the bitter war that is being
waged by the board of infirmity trust-
ees and Dr. Charles E. Donlan as to
who is boss at the municipal hospital
and almshouse.

As the grand finale to the spirited
hearings of Tuesday and Wednesday,
the infirmity trustees last night is-
sued a formal communique to the ef-
fect that Dr. Donlan was removed for
all time from his position as superin-
tendent of the island institutions.

Prepared to Use Force

And this proclamation carried with
it the board's authority for Thomas
E. Masterson, the newly elected chair-
man, to take possession of the island
as the acting superintendent. But Dr.
Donlan, through his attorney, Joseph
Lundy, announced that the board had
pulled several bloomers in failing to
observe legal requirements in the mat-
ter of his removal, and that a warm
reception will surely be accorded Mas-
terson this morning if he attempts to
rule the destinies of the almshouse
and hospital.

In brief, a merry clash of authority
is impending between Dr. Donlan and
Masterson.

Attorney Lundy, after citing the
shortcomings of the trustees and the
legal phase of the situation, declared
last night that inasmuch as Dr. Don-
lan had not been lawfully removed, he
would this morning resume the official
charge of Long Island, "Masterson or
no Masterson."

"Dr. Donlan will brook no interference
with his duties by Masterson or
any other member of the board of
trustees, and if matters warrant such
action he will order any person who
obstructs him removed from the island
by force if necessary," declared At-
torney Lundy last night.

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AMERICAN INDIAN JOINS LAFAYETTE ESCADRILLE

(By Newspaper Enterprise Asso.) Discarding his feathers and war paint, Flowberth W. Richester, a full-blooded American Indian, has joined the Lafayette Escadrille and will fly as an aviator in France. Richester's wife, also an Indian



Flowberth W. Richester, first American Indian to join the Lafayette Escadrille, and his Indian wife.

and a beautiful woman, slender and somewhat on the Gibson girl type, was born in Germany, but nevertheless is an American.

As a member of a freedom-loving race, Richester will undoubtedly take delight in roaming around among the clouds looking for a Boche machine to appear to give battle, and a fine physical specimen that he is should have many victories to his credit in a short time.

DIVISION ONE MEN FOR CAMP DEVENS

The following registrants of Division 1 have been inducted into the military service and will entrain for Camp Devens during the five-day period beginning July 22:

Thomas J. Arnold, 8 Madison.
Thos. P. Leland, 1132 Gorham.
Thos. J. McCarthy, 348 Bridge.
John J. Deolaghy, 15 Bowen.
Clifford R. Harvey, 1722 Bridge.
Thos. P. Brennan, 49 Hurd.
Louis Dumont, 25 Clifton.
Edg. L. Woodward, Woolworth Bldg., N. Y.
John P. McNulty, E. Junction, Haverhill, Mass.
Edw. W. Handt, Jr., 26 Prescott.
Geo. L. Sullivan, 55 Bartlett.
Manuel M. Silva, Jr., 28 Chippewa.
Frederick C. Fisher, 345 Beacon.
Walter W. Rogers, Newark, N. J.
Arthur J. Rue, 286 Worthen.
John J. Graham, 17 Bleachery.
Augustus W. McKen, 61 Eighteenth.
Timothy F. Harrington, 763 Central.
William J. Morgan, 522 Central.
Peter J. Doolley, 147 Fayette.
Bruno Silk, 67 North.
James L. Dunlop, 71 Church.
Samuel J. O'Neill, 338 Concord.
Joseph F. Gargan, 69 Epping.

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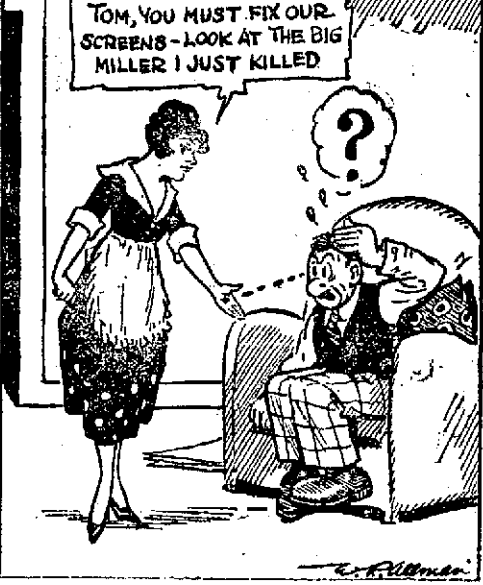


In the center of this group stands Captain W. H. Hardy, survivor of the Perry "door opening" expedition to Japan in 1853—living link between the Yedo of that day and Japan, the world power of today. At his left is Ambassador Roland S. Morris, U. S. minister to Japan. At his right, Miss Katsu Yamamoto, Nipponese university girl, whose veneration for Captain Hardy prompted the invitation which resulted in his historic revisiting of the Flowery Kingdom. Burton Knisely, The Sun's staff writer in Japan, is at the left of the picture.

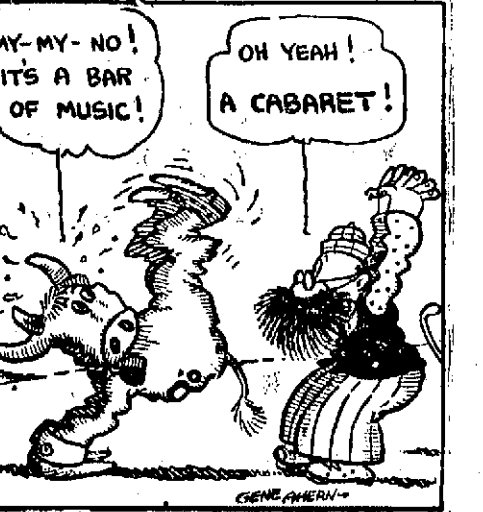
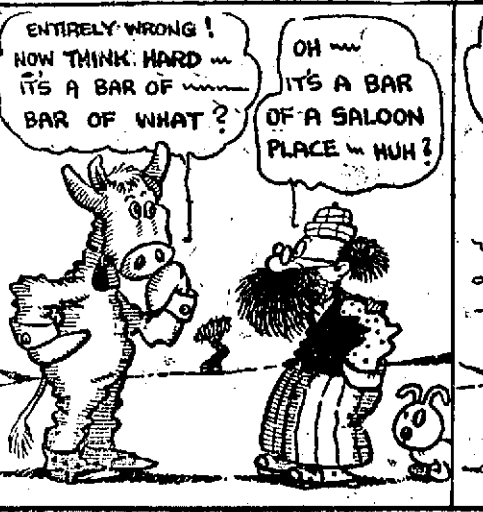
Edward F. Carolan, 256 Concord.
John A. McGarry, 119 Fremont.
Thomas F. Frury, 112 First.
William J. Quinn, 72 Concord.
Peter Lambert, 10 Dutton.
John J. Green, Jr., 3 rear 37 Bartlett.
John J. Welch, 9 Chestnut.
Alonzo S. Mathison, 34 Central.
Collin H. MacKenzie, 23 Methuen.
Robert H. Dawson, 48 Methuen.
Harry M. Smith, 60 Whipple.
Archibald A. R. Campbell, 18 E. Merrimack.
Clayton M. Colby, 413 Walker.
William Dudley, 10 Webster.
Frank Deduis, 45 Davidson.
Michael J. Sullivan, 55 Bartlett.
John W. Cassin, 17 Swift.
Matthew M. Wood, 92 Fort Hill ave.
Joseph Gilman, 654 Merrimack.
Arthur P. Conley, 133 Mt. Washington.
Daniel F. McCarthy, 15 Crowley.
Thomas F. Ryan, 14 First.
Joseph J. Jette, 112 Woburn.
Patrick Duane, 227 Hale.
Harold S. Graves, 28 Lawrence.
William J. Brown, 27 Watson.
Edward P. Stevens, Wamsit.
James J. Kacinsky, 53 Crosby.
Harry F. Tenney, 42 Seventh.
Howard S. Tuttle, 466 Bridge.
Michael J. Fitzsimmons, 81 Golden St., New London, Conn.
Charles B. Garmon, 22 Third.
Collin McPhail, Campton, N. H.
Thos. Howard, 230 Lawrence.
Ernest Barbier, 65 Worthen.
William P. Feehan, 163 Andover.
Kevork Chertavian, 403 Central.
John P. Papalagos, 38 Prince.
Burnell Gentner, Reading, Pa.
Henry H. Agnew, 21 E. Merrimack.
William P. O'Brien, 15 Sixth.
Peter Catterall, 230 Fayette.
Jos. C. Stanley, 10 Webster.
Dolphus Bruns, 50 Cogswode.
James A. Bergman, 15 Sixth.
Jos. Vilebeck, Elino, Me.
Jos. P. Donahue, 157 Fairmont.
Alfred Samson, Thorndike House.
Buzkas Sarkisian, 403 Central.
Jos. A. Coutu, 236 Worthen.

ALTERNATES
Geo. M. Thompson, T.C.A., Lowell.
George A. Rowe, 30 Beach.
John E. Donnelly, 135 Summer.
Peter W. Moore, 135 Summer.
Edward J. Johnson, 135 Summer.
John E. Doherty, 38 W. Fifth.
Patrick, 39 Elliot.
Felix Balkins, 18 Howe.
John J. Cox, 7 Wamsit.
Ernest P. Pratt, 27 Otis.
Wm. J. Adams, Millinocket, Me.

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DOLAN—The funeral of John J. Dolan will take place Saturday morning from his late home, 12 Chambers street at 9 o'clock. At St. Peter's church at 9:30 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangement in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

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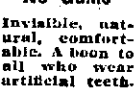
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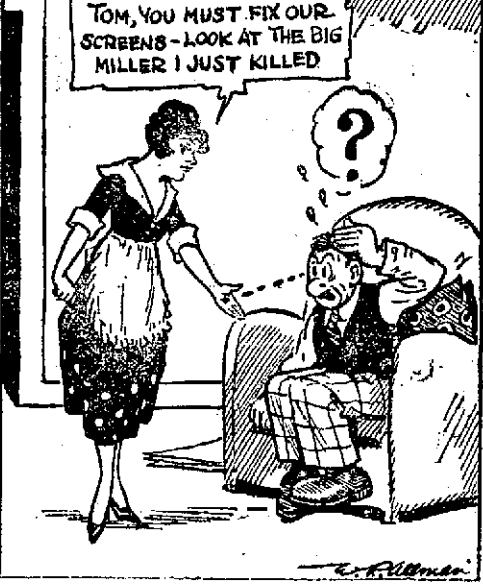
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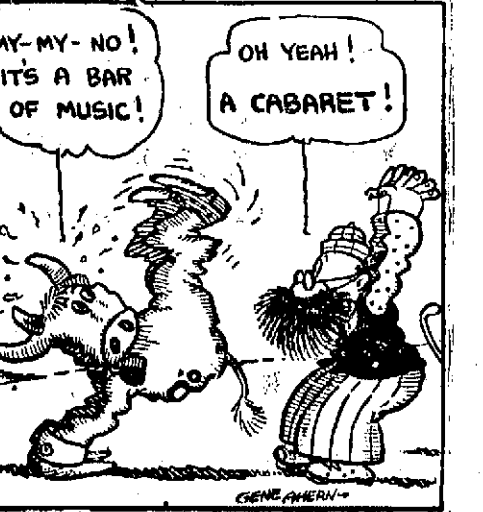
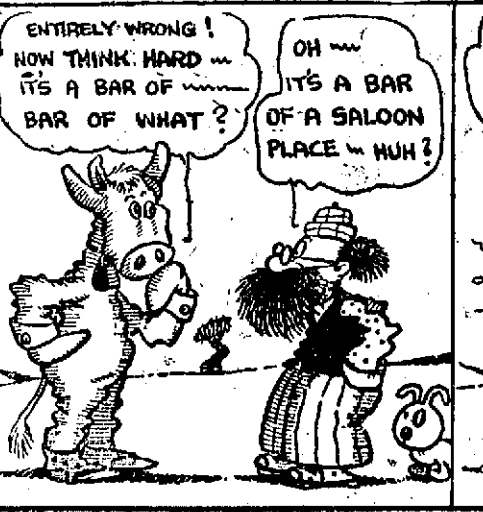
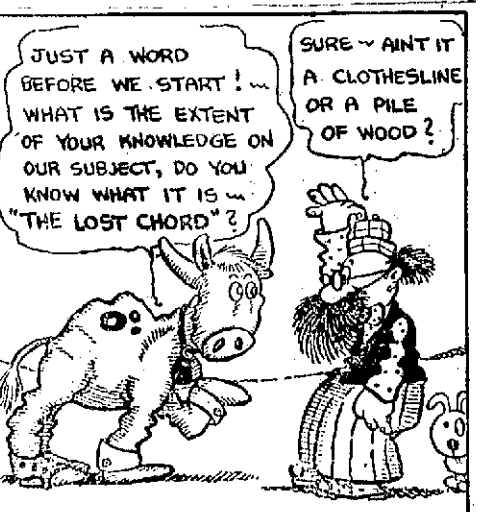
TOM HAS A NARROW ESCAPE



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\$1,000,000 PLAN

Boston & Maine Takes First Step in Big Railroad Development Here

Asks Authority for Taking of the Land by Right of Eminent Domain

(Special to The Sun.)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, July 12.—The first step in the big \$1,000,000 railroad development at Lowell was taken yesterday, when the Boston & Maine railroad company, as lessee of the Lowell and Nashua railroad company, filed with the public service commission a request that the commission make a finding that the public necessity requires the taking of certain land.

The land which is to be taken consists of nineteen parcels, on the south side of the railroad tracks, and extending from a point east of Baldwin street to a point west of Edwards street. At the Baldwin street end the strip to be taken is very narrow, but at the other end it widens out to a considerable width, as will be noted

WAR WORK

Massachusetts Now Has 129,600 Men in Armed Forces of Nation

BOSTON, July 12.—An analysis of the state of Massachusetts, just sent to Washington by direction of the United States department of labor, contains from a reading of the list of owners whose property the road desires to take.

Reading from east to west, the owners are:—Wilhelmina and Paula Mendik, Harriet S. Smith, The Costikyan Carpet Corporation, Joseph F. Cote, Isaac Gouthier, Deborah Boudreau, Mary A. and Susan E. Tyler, Samuel P. Hadley, Channing A. Frost, Sarah Stack, Fisher H. Pearson, Joseph H. Clough, Jerry and Marie LaFrance, Lillie S. Cutler, Orestes M. Pratt, the Ayer mills, Addie E. Cashin and Thos. J. Roche.

In certain cases the railroad company does not intend taking the entire parcel of land owned by each owner, but in every case it states that it has been unable to agree with the owner upon a price to be paid for the land desired, and therefore it becomes necessary for the public service commission to authorize a taking by right of eminent domain; under such a procedure, the amount to be paid will probably be determined by a jury.

HOYT.

figures and facts that will open the eyes of the whole country to the splendid sacrifice and efficient work of the old Bay State in the present gigantic struggle.

The report was prepared by the director for Massachusetts of the United States Employment Service, William A. Gaston, and is signed by him. It is sent to Director-General J. B. Densmore of the United States Employment Service at Washington at his request.

129,600 in Service

A summary, giving the number of males engaged in gainful occupations by groups, 18 years or over, tells a significant story in itself.

The figures are as follows:

Military service	129,600
Agriculture, forestry and animal husbandry	80,575
Extraction of minerals	2,246
Transportation	114,961
Manufacturing and mechanical industries	611,360
Trade	37,543
Public service	49,689
Professional service	63,918
Domestic and personal service	70,280
Clerical occupations	1,330,754

Total

In the above statement the figures given are as of June 30, 1918, as compared with the 1915 census, increased by 10 per cent. The problem of unemployment, which in normal times, previous to the war was supposed to represent a factor of 3.5 per cent, is not considered.

On the best information available it is estimated that 40 per cent, at least, of the wage-earners in Massachusetts

under class 5 (mechanical and manufacturing industries) are engaged on war work," says the report.

"For the other classes there are no statistics available, and it is obviously

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extremely difficult to formulate any general statement of conditions."

771,205 Wage-Earners

The report states that "according to the 1916 census of manufacturers in Massachusetts, persons under 18 years of age constituted approximately 7 per cent of the total number of employees engaged in manufacturing enterprises. While, obviously, this percentage can not be applied as holding true to all of the nine occupational groups specified, it may at least be applied to Group 5 (the principal group enumerated) since those in the 'mechanical industries' would constitute only a small percentage of the aggregate number in Group 5."

"The total number of wage earners for the state aggregate 771,205. These are those paid on time basis or by piece work. So called salaried employees earning \$1200 or over are not included. On a percentage basis, these figures give us the following: Males, 18 years of age and over, 66.7% Females, 18 years of age and over, 26.3% Young persons, under 18 years, 7% These figures are again verified by official authority, giving seven per cent for young persons under 18 years of age."

Adults, 666,859, or 87.7 per cent. Young persons, under 18 years, 52,339, or 7 per cent.

"Of the adult workers, males constituted 71 per cent and females 29 per cent, while of the young persons approximately 49 per cent were males and 51 per cent females. We can, therefore, use this figure of 7 per cent as a working basis for estimating the number of males under 18 years of age employed in industry, with modifications based on observation and a general understanding of conditions."

ATTENTION!

Members of Lowell Nest of Owls are requested to be on the grounds at Lakeview Carnival without fail, Monday evening at 6.30, and report to R. J. FLYNN.

Daily Bulletin from War Work Headquarters

119 Merrimack Street

LOWELL'S HONOR ROLL, LOWELL'S SERVICE ROLL, AND LOWELL'S SERVICE STAR ROLL

See that your soldier's name and his unit are on the Service Roll at 119 Merrimack street, and also that his relatives and those entitled to the Service Flag also are on the Service Star Roll at 119 Merrimack street. This record must be made complete, as it will be dedicated to the City of Lowell and finally presented for preservation. We aim for an Official Record. Keep War Work Headquarters supplied with the correct information.

COMPULSORY WORK LAW. Inquire here for particulars. Registration on July 12 for those not usefully employed.

FIELD GLASSES WANTED for the government to use as "Eyes for the Navy."

We sell WAR SAVINGS STAMPS, THRIFT STAMPS and SMILEAGE BOOKS.

Anyone who has a three-burner kerosene stove with an oven, and who is willing to loan it to the Food Conservation Committee for demonstration work, will please notify Miss Everett, at War Work Headquarters.

ANY WOMAN wishing to learn the cold pack method of canning, by doing the work under instruction, may bring material for one jar of each kind to the War Work Headquarters. Please communicate with Miss Everett, who will plan a class.

Don't eat so much of the things **THE BOYS NEED** on the other side. Please take note of what we should limit ourselves to:—

MEAT (including chicken and poultry): Two pounds per person per week (including bones and trimmings.) Use beef very sparingly or not at all.

WHEAT FLOUR and WHEAT PRODUCTS: None if possible; otherwise, six pounds per person per month.

SUGAR (including granulated, lump, brown and powdered): Three pounds per person per month.

The Price of Washing in Lowell

Is Determined By the Method Employed

It Costs Only **2** Cents Per Hour

—for electricity to operate a THOR Electric Washer which will also do the wringing. It is the **sanitary, economical** way to do a washing as vouched for by the hundreds of Lowell women who are now using the

Thor Electric Washer

Let us prove to you in your own home that the THOR will do everything we claim for it. See with your own eyes how the THOR will wash anything from a lace handkerchief to a heavy blanket without injury, better and quicker than you could ever do the work by hand.

It costs ONLY \$10.00 DOWN for a THOR and the balance in easy monthly installments, and no extra wiring is necessary. Once in your home it is there to give you service year after year. It will last a lifetime, saving time, labor and money every time you use it.

JUST TELEPHONE 821 FOR FREE DEMONSTRATION

THE LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT CORPORATION

29-31 MARKET STREET.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Commenced Today at 9 O'Clock

ENTIRE SPRING and SUMMER STOCK

At Cost of Materials



Summer Dresses at, \$1.00, \$1.98 Up

Taffeta, Foulard, Georgette and Crepe Dresses \$7.98, \$9.98 Up

Silk Poplin Dresses \$4.98

Suits \$5.98, \$7.98 Up

Coats \$3.98, \$5.98, \$8.50 Up

Wash Skirts 69c, \$1.25 Up

Silk, Serge and Poplin Skirts, \$2.98, \$3.98 Up

Raincoats \$1.50, \$2.75 Up

Sweaters \$3.75, \$4.75 Up

Summer Furs at wholesale prices. See us before buying elsewhere for your own benefit.

Party Dresses \$1.98, \$2.98

SEE OUR WINDOWS

LEMKIN'S CLOAK & SUIT STORE

228 MERRIMACK STREET

OPPOSITE ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

Where You Find the Garments at the Price You Intend to Pay



HEAR, YE!

Ye must save! Your government requests it. All money saved now is your protection for the future.

FAIRBURN'S MARKET CAN HELP YOU

LEGS OF GENUINE LAMB lb. 37c

(The sizes from 4 lbs. up—1918 Lambs)

18c Fowler Corn.....3 cans 40c	28c Libby's Rd. Salmon...25c can
Heavy Lettuce.....5c	Sirloin Roast (right)....25c lb.
New Beets, bunch.....5c	Fancy Light Pork.....35c lb.
New Carrots, bunch.....5c	22c Small Salt Ribs.....18c lb.
No. 1 New Potatoes, lb.....6c	34c Heavy Salt Pork....29c lb.
Selected Eggs, doz.....43c	35c Boneless Pot Roast..29c lb.
Uneda, pkg.....7½c	35c Chuck Roasts.....30c lb.
	43c Fresh Fowl.....39c lb.
	25c Smoked Shoulders...23c lb.

Star Specials

30c Sweetened Cocoa.....19c lb.
5c Lighthouse Soap Powder.....3c
14c Heinz Tomato Soup.....11c can
25c Lemon Juice.....10c Bottle
10c Lemon Juice.....5c Bottle
12c Jones Logan Berry Juice.....7c Bottle
22c International Condensed Milk.....15c Can

52c Fresh BUTTER lb. 49c

ELGIN

We are so sure this Butter will please, we have contracted for 25,000 pounds.

2 lb. Can Sauerkraut.....15c | 15c Van Camp Spaghetti....10c

18c LIMA BEANS, can.....10c

EASY FOOD TO PREPARE	Large Cucumbers.....5c Each
10c Asparagus Soup.....7c Can	Hot House Tomatoes....25c lb.
12c Baked Beans.....9c Can	Southern Tomatoes....12½c lb.
25c Asparagus Tips.....21c Can	Native Green Peas.....75c lb.
12c Kellogg Krumbles.....8c pkg.	Texas Onions.....6c lb.
60c Derby Slic. Tongue..53c Jar	Radishes.....3 for 10c
22c Emp. Wax Beans....17c Can	New Cauliflower.....15c lb.
18c Monad. Kid. Beans..15c Can	Native Butter Beans....12½c qt.
35c Leda Coffee.....30c lb.	New Cabbage.....5c lb.

Sugar Ripe Watermelon.....70c	Ripe Red Plums.....10c doz.
Blackberries.....27c box	Green Corn.....43c doz.
Georgia Peaches.....25c doz.	Georgia Canteloupes...8c Each

FAIRBURN'S

Cook, Taylor & Co.

98 AND 100 MERRIMACK STREET

OUR GRAND

Stock Reducing Sale

Started This Morning

OUR SPECIALS FOR

Friday and Saturday

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS ALL OVER OUR STORE

Ladies' Tailor-made Suits; some less than half price.
\$5.98, \$7.98, \$12.98, \$15.98

Ladies' Dust Coats, all sizes. A great saving to you.
\$3.98 up to \$6.98

About 68 of the finest Ladies' Cloth Coats made; sent to us by one of the best New York manufacturers. At one-half off. Coats that sold for \$40 to \$50, for.....\$19.75

Coats that sold for \$20 and \$30, for.....\$12.98

SUMMER WEARABLES CUT TO PIECES

75 dozen ladies' stout sizes of fine Jersey Vests, seconds, value 39c each. Our Price 19c Apiece

Ladies' 39c Lisle Hose, black or white.....19c a Pair
Silk Hose, value 75c.....49c a Pair

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

The largest stock, best assortment and lowest prices in town. Bought right.

Ladies' \$1.00 Robes.....69c
Ladies' \$1.75 Robes.....\$1.25
Ladies' \$1.00 Skirts.....69c
Ladies' \$1.50 Skirts.....98c
Ladies' 75c Drawers.....59c
Ladies' 39c Corset Covers 25c

FOR CHILDREN'S DRESSES

In white and colors, see us. Choice Hamburg Trimmed Dresses, age 6 to 14. 98c each
Colored Dresses.....49c up

SMALL WEAR BULLETIN

150 dozen \$1.00 Ladies' Corsets.....79c Pair
50 dozen \$1.50 Ladies' Corsets.....\$1.00 Pair

Silk Gloves, double tipped, worth \$1.00.....69c
Spool Cotton, fancy colors, was 5c.....2c
Men's 5c Reversible Collars, 1c Each

Pearl Buttons, were 5c, 1c Dozen

Ladies' Fancy Parasols, value \$2.00.....98c
50 dozen Shirt Waists, white or black, value \$1.50.....98c
Silk Waists, sold up to \$2.98.....98c

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

98 AND 100 MERRIMACK STREET

ESTABLISHED 1878

LOWELL MASS. FRIDAY JULY 12 1918

16 PAGES 1 CENT

"WORK OR FIGHT"

CITY HALL NEWS

State Law in Force Today—
Many Males Registered in
This City

Lowell May Have City Wood
Yard Before the Next Win-
ter Sets In

Early Afternoon Registration
Here Was: Unemployed,
103; Doubtful, 139

Question of Feed for City
Pigs Discussed by Agricul-
tural Department Member

Today is work or fight day in Lowell and men between 18 and 50 are observing the occasion with due formality. Two offices to take care of men who are not employed and those who believe that they are employed in non-essential occupations were kept going at top speed all day from the time they opened up for business at 9 o'clock this morning.

The "biggest business" was at the war work headquarters in Merrimack street, due, no doubt, to the central location.

Up until 12:30 this noon there had been registered there 73 men who admitted that they were unemployed. One hundred and thirteen others appeared and said that they were working but they were in doubt as to whether their occupation was essential in the light of the law. The officials at the registration office did not attempt to define this phase of the matter, but simply gave these men a certificate showing that they had presented themselves for registration. They were not actually registered, however.

At the board of trade rooms the volume of visitors was not as heavy, but it was sufficiently so to keep the corps of clerks stationed there on the jump every minute. At this office 30 men admitted that they were unemployed, while 26 were uncertain as to their occupation being essential.

This made the total up to early afternoon as follows: Unemployed, 103; doubtful, 139.

Registration continued at both offices until 5 o'clock. The law stated that registration should take place every day, but if a man has a good excuse for not being able to register today, he will undoubtedly be accepted tomorrow.

John M. O'Donoghue directed the registration in Lowell and he was kept busy all day answering questions from a hundred sources about as many different phases of the law.

Miss Dorothy S. Lewis was in charge of the work at the war work headquarters and when it became evident that this was to be more popular of the two offices, Director O'Donoghue called in the reserves and also took part in the work himself.

The motorcycle containing Sergt. McFarland and the two young women was being driven through Lawrence street at about 10 o'clock last night, when upon approaching a point near the home of the young women, 180 Lawrence street, the machine skidded and crashed into an electric car, the occupants of the cycle being thrown forcibly to the pavement. The ambulance was summoned and the three injured people were rushed to the hospital, where it was found that the sergeant was suffering from a fractured skull, while the women had received scalp wounds. The motorcycle was badly wrecked.

IT IS WELL enough in time of peace to prepare for war, but some folks wisely when a fight is on, prepare for peace.

If you have a Savings Account with this Bank, you may add to it EVERY MONTH and each addition will commence on interest the last day of month. Soon you will be equipped for War, yet prepared for Peace.

SAFE—
DEPOSIT & TRUST
Middlesex Co.
Merrimack-Palmer Sts.

Next Instalment Payment on
Liberty 4 1/4's July 18.

WISDOM

"I will say, too, that the highest wisdom and the highest genius have been invariably accompanied by cheerfulness."—Peacock.

Then there can be neither wisdom nor genius of high order when tooth trouble is present.

DR. A. J. GAGNON
109-466 Merrimack St.

YOU DON'T
HAVE TO WAIT

Three months for your money to begin drawing interest in this Bank.
Money goes on interest the first day of each month.
This Bank is under the supervision of the United States Government.

OLD LOWELL NATIONAL BANK
LOWELL, MASS.
The Oldest Bank in Lowell

MACHINISTS!

Special meeting for members of Lodge 338, I. A. of M., employed by U. S. Cartridge Co., Saturday, July 13th, at 8 p. m., at Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street.
Signed,
JOHN J. CARROLL, Pres.
PARKER F. MURPHY, Secy.

Gen. Petain's Forces Push On
and Capture Longpont

French Give Huns on Westerly Side of Marne Salient Little Rest—Smash Enemy Lines and Make Big Advance—Hint Steady Advance by French May be Prelude to Great Allied Offensive

Gen. Petain is giving the Germans on the westerly side of the Marne salient little rest in their positions east of the forest of Villers-Cotterets. Last night his troops again drove in on this front and made substantial progress.

French Capture Longpont
The most tangible result reported from this latest fighting is the capture of the village of Longpont, to the outskirts of which the French had pushed in their advance on Wednesday night. A farm in this neighborhood also was taken.

The French lines were likewise driven ahead in the Charigny farm district, north of Longpont. A forward push also was given the line in the area south of Longpont, east of Faverolles.

Important Attacks May Follow
The extension of the front under attack to the Faverolles region is noteworthy as showing that the process of straightening out the line between the Aisne and the Marne is being carried still farther south and is threatening the local salient held by the Germans between the Longpont district and the American sector northwest of Chateau-Thierry. The series of operations carried out by Gen. Petain on this front during the present week has been generally regarded as of merely local importance, designed to straighten the line and fortify it against the expected renewal of the German offensive. This possibility is not overlooked, however, that these may be a prelude to more important attacks.

Foch "Feeling Out" Germany
The time has not been considered opportune for Gen. Foch, the allied commander-in-chief, to abandon his defensive role and turn to the aggressive. Continued to Page Fourteen

LITTLE FOOD IN RUMANIA
Condition More Precarious Than Any Time Since Rumania Entered War

PARIS, July 12.—Rumania's peasant population is in a more precarious condition from lack of food and clothing than at any time since Rumania entered the war. Reports reaching the Associated Press from authoritative sources indicate that all crops this year are failures.

The crop of corn, which in normal times is the great national staple, probably will be less than one-twenty-fifth of the usual annual yield. Of wheat, maize and other cereals there is only sufficient to feed one-tenth of the population.

What little food there was has been requisitioned by the Germans. The bread ration has been reduced further and amounts to less than half a pound daily.

The crops of Hessarabia are uncertain and are in almost as poor a condition as in Rumania. Owing partly to neglect and partly to lack of labor, seeds and rain, the greater part of those countries, which once teemed with agricultural products of every kind, is now a great barren waste.

If the Germans expect any food from this waste territory, the reports conclude, they can have only the slender hope of better crops next year. For the present, Germany will get only a mouthful.

AMERICAN LAUNCH SUNK
BY HUN BATTERIES

WASHINGTON, July 12.—An American naval launch, after aiding a French destroyer in towing a disabled American seaplane to safety, was sunk by German shore batteries, losing four of her crew, two probably were drowned, and two were taken prisoner.

Assistant Surgeon Albert Mason Stevens, naval reserves, of New York and Philip Goldman, quartermaster, of New York, landed in front of the German batteries and were captured.

Seaman Charles J. Tatulinski, of Cleveland and John Peter Vogt of New Orleans, are missing. Three others in the boat swam for shore with life preservers and were picked up unhurt on allied territory.

AVOID RISKS.

The best way to cure summer complaint is to prevent it. Keep on hand a supply of the famous, "No cure, No pay."

DOW'S DIARRHOEA
AND CHOLERA SYRUP

and Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, and Cholera Infantum will never trouble you. Dows' is sure prevention and sure cure. It falls in your, your money back. That's double insurance against risks.

Your druggist has it or ought to. 25c.; 50c.

A. W. DOWS & CO., Props.,
LOWELL, MASS.

BANK DIRECTOR OUSTED
Removed Because of Pro-German Sympathies

NEW YORK, July 12.—Morris Cukor, an American citizen, who was one of the directors of the Transatlantic Trust Co., seized by the alien property custodian yesterday, was removed as a director of that institution because of alleged pro-German and pro-Austrian sympathies. This was disclosed today by Francis P. Garvan, investigator for the custodian.

A week ago Cukor was appointed president of the Municipal Civil Service commission by Mayor Hyman. His removal as a director of the bank occurred about the same time.

Mr. Garvan said that investigation had revealed that on Aug. 12, 1914, Cukor delivered an address to Austro-Hungarians and Germans in this city in which he attacked the present allies of the United States, claimed the right of Austro-Hungarians to assist "our fatherland" and denied the right of the United States to manufacture arms for use against the central powers.

The address was printed, according to Mr. Garvan, in the New York Staats Zeitung under the headline "Hail to the Hapsburgs."

The speech was quoted by Mr. Garvan in part as follows:

"We decline energetically to be muzzled by Anglophiles and Jingoists. They speak of the Kultur battle of the allies, although it is the battle of Russia. We protest as American citizens against being compelled to silence against English chicanery, Russian tyranny, French perfidy and Italian treachery. And also we do not agree that our adopted country shall become a factory for instruments of murder to be delivered to the torch-bearers of civilization, the colored men of India, Africa and the South Sea Islands and other wild hordes against the 'barbarian' students of the universities of Heidelberg, Berlin, Vienna and Budapest."

RUMOR HINDENBURG ILL
IN GERMANY

LONDON, July 12.—A Dutch traveler from Germany, says a despatch from The Hague to the Exchange Telegraph Co., declares the rumor has spread all over Germany that Field Marshal von Hindenburg is ill and is unable to participate in the work at the army headquarters. The military duties there have been taken over entirely by First Quartermaster General Ludendorff. German newspapers, the traveler says, are not permitted to mention the rumor.

RUSSIAN RAILWAY
MEN ON STRIKE

PARIS, July 12.—(Havas Agency) Russian railway men are on strike in several districts, according to a Zurich despatch quoting the Leipzig Neueste Nachrichten. The strike threatens to become general, the newspaper reports.

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS OF STATE
OFFICERS AND LEGISLATORS
ENDORSED

BOSTON, July 12.—The constitutional convention today endorsed biennial elections of state officers and members of the legislature, with annual sessions of the latter as at present. The committee on suffrage had reported against the change.

NEW AMERICAN HOUSE
Business Men's Luncheon

12 to 2 o'clock, 50 cents. Dining of food music. Coolest plenty room in the city, and good service. Special Sunday dinner, 1 to 2.30 o'clock.

ALLEGED EVADER SHOT
Roundup of Slackers and Unregistered Aliens Continues in Chicago

CHICAGO, July 12.—The roundup by federal agents and the police of alleged slackers and unregistered aliens, who brought to various police stations nearly 5000 men last night, continued today. Railroad stations, steamship docks, theatres, hotels, pool rooms, restaurants and other public places were searched.

Out of the 5000 questioned, 400 were compelled to spend the night in jail. There was great excitement at the Municipal pier dance hall when the investigators appeared. Young women screamed and fainted.

A government agent shot Helga Gustavson, who attempted to escape. He is in a serious condition.

\$300 FINE AND SIX MONTHS FOR UN-AUTHORIZED WEARING OF UNIFORM OF FRIENDLY NATION

WASHINGTON, July 12.—President Wilson today signed a bill providing penalties of \$300 fine and six months imprisonment for unauthorized wearing of the uniform of a friendly nation. Congress passed it especially to deal with pseudo representatives of allied countries seeking to collect funds.

PROBE OWNERSHIP OF
CHEMICAL COMPANIES

NEW YORK, July 12.—A hearing to determine whether the majority of the stock of three chemical companies is German-owned, was begun here today before State Attorney General Lewis at the request of the department of justice and A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian.

If the majority of the stock of the Roessler and Hasskacher Chemical Co. of New York and its subsidiaries, the Niagara Electro-Chemical Co., Niagara Falls, N. Y., and the Perth Amboy Chemical Co., of Perth Amboy, N. J., is owned by a German company, the Gold and Silver Refinery of Frankfurt, Germany, as alleged by the government, the companies would be subject to seizure by the alien property custodian.

It is the government's belief, according to Deputy State Attorney General Becker, that from 80 to 90 per cent. of the stock of the three companies is owned by the German Co. The three companies assert that 52 per cent. of the stock is American owned. The Niagara Electro-Chemical Co. is a \$200,000 concern which, according to the attorney general, has been paying dividends aggregating 500 per cent. yearly.

MADAM JEFFRIES

Madam Jeffries says: "I am a great believer in nature as a cure for many ailments and Vitalitas being a natural remedy I took it for indigestion and rheumatism. The results are today I am cured of both. I have seen the time when I dared not eat bread for I did I would almost die from pain. I have tried everything, but it took Vitalitas to do the work. It gave me strength from the start." Madam Jeffries continued, saying: "I could tell the public a lot more about this great remedy, but it would take up a lot of space, but if the public is interested enough to do so, they may call on me personally and I will be glad to explain more fully. My home address is 5 North Ashland street, Worcester."

VI-TAL-I-TAS

Is for rheumatism, indigestion, nervousness, stomach, kidney and liver ills; also to build up by adding strength. It is nature's greatest gift. Daws' Drug Store, Merrimack Square, Lowell, Mass.

P. S.—No alcohol or drugs in Vitalitas, not a patent medicine.—Adv.

SERIOUS MUTINY

Austrian Troops in Serbia
Suppressed After Battle
With Machine Guns

Broke Into Rebellion Because of Bad Food—Many Officers Killed

CORFU, July 12.—A serious mutiny among the Austrian troops in one of the occupied districts of Serbia, is announced by the Serbian press here. The garrison at Kragujevac, the former Serbian arsenal, broke into rebellion because of bad food, the statement declares, and many of the officers were killed. The mutiny was suppressed after a battle in which machine guns and artillery were freely used.

PERSHING REPORTS FIVE
AIRPLANES MISSING

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Five American airplanes which went on a bombing expedition have failed to return, General Pershing's communique reported today.

Berlin reported five American airplanes in German hands yesterday. General Pershing's communique was the first announcement from American sources of the loss of the machines. It gave no details, but yesterday's report from Berlin, which came by way of London, declared that five machines were part of a squadron of six which started out to bomb Cologne. The crews of the airplanes, the German report said, were taken prisoners.

The communique follows: Headquarters American Expeditionary Forces, July 10, 1918. Section A.—In the Vosges a raid attempted by the enemy broke down with losses before our lines had been reached. The day passed quietly at other points.

As the result of a bombing expedition last evening, five of our machines are missing.

WAR TAXES FOR MONTH
TOTAL \$123,396,104

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The American people are spending slightly more for amusements but less for travel as the war progresses. This is revealed in a comparison of the May receipts of taxes collected by the internal revenue bureau which were made public today, with the receipts for previous months.

War taxes from all sources collected in May amounted to \$123,396,104. Taxes collected during May by the 10 per cent. charge on admission to theatres, concerts, cabarets and like places, amounted to \$4,521,996, indicating that the American people spent approximately \$45,000,000 on such amusements during the month. In February taxes from the same sources totalled \$4,708,000, indicating an expenditure of approximately \$37,000,000.

The 8 per cent. tax on passenger fares during May yielded \$3,723,320 which shows that approximately \$49,545,000 was spent in travelling during the month. During February the same tax raised for the treasury \$4,165,200, representing expenditures of \$55,320,000 for travel.

ONE OF THE MURDERERS OF GERMAN
AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW
ARRESTED

LONDON, July 12.—One of the murderers of General Count von Mirbach, German ambassador to Russia, was arrested Thursday, according to a Moscow despatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung, which is transmitted from Copenhagen by the Exchange Telegraph Co.

Interest Begins
Saturday
CITY INSTITUTION
FOR SAVINGS

174 CENTRAL ST.
Resources Twelve Million Dollars

NOTICE

The United States government, through the war industries board, has issued the following:

"It is necessary that all newspapers which publish a daily and weekly edition put the following preliminary economies into effect July 15, 1918:—

"Discontinue the acceptance of the return of unsold copies.
"Discontinue the use of all samples or free promotion copies.

"Discontinue giving copies to anybody except for office working copies or where required by statute law in the case of official advertising.

"Discontinue giving free copies to advertisers, except not more than one copy each for checking purposes.

"Discontinue the arbitrary forcing of copies on newsdealers (i. e., compelling them to buy more copies than they can legitimately sell in order to hold certain territory.)

"Discontinue the buying back of papers at either wholesale or retail selling price from dealers or agents in order to secure preferential representation.

"Discontinue the payment of salaries or commissions to agents, dealers or newshaws for the purpose of securing the equivalent of return privileges.

"Discontinue all free exchanges."

Agreeably to the above instructions, the Lowell newspapers undersigned hereby announce to newsdealers, the public and contemporaries their intention to make all such changes as have not already been made on July 15 next.

THE LOWELL SUN
LOWELL COURIER-CITIZEN.

Lowell, Friday, July 12, 1918

The United States Food Administrator says: "We must build up reserves of food in France for the Allies and the increasing number of our boys. You don't need wheat—they do."

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

The United States Food Administrator says: "The gardens are the food reserve corps. Eat fresh vegetables and save the wheat for the soldiers on the line."

Do You Know

someone who is all run down from overwork, or who is recovering from illness? Suggest

BOVININE

This consists of the vital elements of beef blood and is a food tonic that aids remarkably in quickly building up strength.

12 oz. bottle - \$1.15
6 oz. bottle - .70

Ask your druggist

THE BOVININE CO.
76 West Houston St.,
New York



More Silk Taffeta Dresses

\$15.00 \$18.50

Several new lots of these dresses have come in this week. Excellent quality of taffeta in navy blue, copenhagen, taupe and black. These are the newest mid-summer models and are proving to be big sellers. Complete range of sizes for women and misses. Styles that you will surely like at

\$15, \$18.50 and \$25.50

Navy Blue and Black Suits

A nice assortment of black and blue suits in plain tailored styles. Made of all wool materials, best of workmanship and the models suitable for summer and fall wear. These suits are marked \$5.00 to \$10.00 lower than present prices on similar suits. Summer prices

\$30.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, and \$45.00

Suits will be very high this fall, so take advantage of this summer sale.



BIG LOT OF

WHITE SKIRTS

\$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.00, \$7.50

We are selling hundreds of these Wash Skirts at prices that are much under other stores as we contracted for thousands of yards of material early in the year, the models to be selected throughout the season.

A special lot of Wash Skirts in gabardine, Bedford cord and wash satin are marked \$3.98. Regular prices of these skirts were \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$12.50. Lots of styles in regular sizes and a big variety of models in extra sizes designed especially for large women.

ODD LOTS TO CLOSE OUT

\$2.98 Chambray House Dresses—All sizes, light blue only, can be worn as a house dress or uniform, cheaper than wholesale price. Special at \$1.98

Wash Coates—Of gabardine and bedford cord, white, copenhagen and rose; regular price \$5.00. Marked down to \$3.98

One Black Satin Sport Coat—Made of Duchess satin, white collar and sleeves; regular price \$25.00. Reduced to \$18.50

One Black Taffeta Coatee—Extra quality taffeta; regular price \$18.50. Marked down to \$12.50

Two Silk Coates—Colors, violet and gold; regular price \$12.50. Marked down to \$8.98

Taffeta Dresses—Made of extra quality taffeta, colors khaki, tan and light gray; regular prices \$15.00 and \$18.50. Marked down to \$10.00

Light Colored Suits—About 25 light colored and check suits, mostly tans and rookies, some copenhagen; were \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00; now marked down to \$15.00

Mixture Coats—Suitable for motoring and cool evenings; were \$25. Marked down to \$18.50

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Silk Pongee Dresses—In misses' and women's sizes, natural shades; were \$12.50 and \$15. Marked down to \$10.00

JERSEY BATHING SUITS

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The Jersey Bathing Suit is very popular this year both for the swimmers and sand bathers as they are superior in comfort and freedom. Shown in a range of styles and colorings.

Jersey Suits for the girl or miss and the little tots 6 and 8 years.

Separate Tights in black, either cotton or wool.

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and \$5.00



FORBIDDEN TO OPERATE MOTOR VEHICLE

Special to The Sun
STATE HOUSE, Boston July 12.—Frank I. Bieler, secretary of the Massachusetts highway commission, made this statement today:

"My attention has been called to articles printed in the Lowell papers on Tuesday, purporting to be a denial by one Thomas Marsden of West Peterboro, N. H., that this commission has forbidden him to operate motor vehicles on the Massachusetts highways, and asserting that he holds a license for such operation.

"I cannot believe that Mr. Marsden has been correctly quoted, for his alleged statement is entirely at variance with the facts.

"We have in this office a United States postoffice registry receipt, signed by Mr. Marsden, showing that on Monday of this week he received by registered mail an order of this commission forbidding him to operate motor vehicles in Massachusetts. It seems incredible that on the following day he should deny the receipt of such an order.

"The records of this office do not indicate that any license has been issued to Mr. Marsden.

"But wholly regardless of whether he has had a license or not, the commission has forbidden him to operate motor vehicles of any kind on Massachusetts highways, and it will not

be well for him if he attempts to violate the order of the commission."

Marsden was involved in an accident June 29, which resulted in the death of John H. Roach of Lowell. As it is the custom in all such cases, the commission immediately notified him that he must keep off the highways in this state pending an investigation by the commission to determine whether he was guilty of serious fault in connection with the accident.

HOYT.

Mr. Marsden's Story

Mr. Marsden called at The Sun office the day after the appearance of an article under Boston date, and in which it was stated that the highway commission had forbidden him to drive motor vehicles in this state and that he had not had a license.

Mr. Marsden denied emphatically that the highway commission had forbidden him to drive motor vehicles in this state and he was just as emphatic in his statement that he had a license.

His statement was published in The Sun on Tuesday and the foregoing article tells what the secretary of the commission has to say about it. He declares that Marsden was forbidden to operate motor vehicles in Massachusetts.

U. S. PLANES CAPTURED

Berlin Claims Five American

Machines Taken—Crews

Held Prisoners

BERLIN, via London, July 12.—Five American airplanes of a squadron of six which started out to raid Coblentz fell into the hands of the Germans, according to the announcement from general headquarters yesterday. The crews were taken prisoner.

The text of the statement reads:

"Throughout Thursday there was moderate fighting activity, which revived frequently in the evening. A strong advance by the enemy north-east of Bethune was repulsed.

"There has been lively artillery activity between the Aisne and the Marne. Partial attacks launched by the enemy from the Forest of Villers-Cotterets pressed back our posts in the Savieres region.

"Five American airplanes of a squadron of six, intending a raid on Coblentz, fell into our hands Thursday. The crews were taken prisoner.

CHILDREN'S PLAY ASSET

OF THE NATION

"To be strong for victory, the nation must let her children play," says Charles Frederick Weller, who as associate secretary of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, is aiding the recreation drive started by the children's bureau and the woman's committee of the council of national defense.

"No time nor money can be spared from war winning activities. But the winning of the war depends on man power, and man power cannot be sustained in any nation without health and wholesome play in the children. Far worse than exhausting America's financial capital would be the exhaustion of child life, her man power capital.

"England and France began an America has been tempted to begin, by letting the children pay too heavily for the war, in child labor, increased delinquency, overtaxed nerves, weakened bodies and premature deaths. But England and France are already turning to lift war's burden from the children by giving them a chance to play. England began in January, 1917, granting government funds to local play centers. Can America do less?

"In this summer vacation time, especially with schools closed, fathers and elder brothers called to war and many mothers to labor—there is urgent need to give the boys and girls an American square deal—to keep the old folks from sitting on the children's safety valve of play," as Jacob Rits would say it.

The recreation drive of July and August is to culminate in "patriotic play week," Sept. 1 to 7, 1918, in which the work of 11,000,000 women in organizing recreation in 10,000 communities will come to a close.

WAR BOARD TO

PASS ON L WAGES

BOSTON, July 12.—Union carmen of the Boston Elevated Railway Co., now under state control and trustees of the railway, have agreed to submit demands of the men for wage increases to the national war labor board, it was announced today. The men, however, refused to arbitrate the nine-to-eleven hour law. The new wage scale when fixed will not become effective until May, 1919.

24 KILLED

Fatalities In Airplane Accidents In Three Weeks

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Twenty-four fatalities in airplane accidents at flying fields in the United States for the three-week period ending July 6, were announced yesterday by the war department.

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WORTH \$5.00 AND \$7.50

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WHITE GEORGETTE WAISTS

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A big assortment of White Georgette Waists in the very latest styles. Semi-tailored, beaded, embroidered, side-button effects, slip-ons and round necks; white, flesh and colors. All sizes.

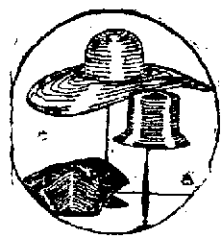
CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS

More new models in Crepe de Chine Waists arrived this week. Colors white and flesh, all sizes to 46. Special at \$3.98

Waist Dept.

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Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats, regular price \$1.98. Marked down to 98c

Palmer Street

Centre Aisle

SPECIAL SALE

Percal Madras 15,000 YARDS

Full pieces, 36 inches wide in large assortment of very pretty stripes, light ground, suitable for house dresses, children's dresses and men's shirts. These goods are worth 42c per yard. Special value 29c Per Yard

Chevy Chase Sniting, 32 inches wide, a very slightly fabric, remnants in convenient lengths, dark blue only; worth 39c per yard. Special value 25c Per Yard

Black Gabardine, 32 inches, just received 15 pieces of this desirable fabric, the very thing for that every day skirt; regular price 50c per yard. Special value 35c Per Yard

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LOT 2—White Canvas Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, good sizes.

LOT 3—Black Ooze Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, few A, B, C and D.

LOT 4—White Nubuck Outing Pumps, rubber sole and heel, Goodyear welt, low heel, first quality.

Also a few Fancy Rimmed Sport Oxfords included in this lot.

SALE PRICE

\$2.00

STREET FLOOR SHOE DEPT.

Ask to see our Adjustable Lock Lace Tips. No raveled ends to bother with, just the thing for invisible eyelets; have just the right length laces, cannot come off; last a lifetime; for black and tan shoes. Set of four.....25c

SERVICE AT COST

The Bay State Has Not Yet
Accepted Bill as Passed by
the Legislature

Candidates Galore for the
\$5000 a Year Job if the
Act Is Accepted

(Special to The Sun)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, July 12.—Although the Bay State Street Railway company has not as yet accepted the public control and service-at-cost bill passed by the recent legislature, gossip is rife as to the probable appointees in case the act is eventually accepted, and there is no dearth of candidates willing to undertake the task of putting the road back on its feet, at \$5000 per year for 10 years.

There is one man whom Governor McCall would very much like to make chairman of the board of trustees—Charles Francis Adams of Concord. The chief executive exercised upon Mr. Adams all of his powers of persuasion in an effort to secure his acceptance of the chairmanship of the Boston Elevated board, but he refused to take the place, and there is no reason to believe that he will look upon the Bay State chairmanship with any more favor.

Mr. Adams' name practically completes the list of those whom the office has thus far sought. All the others, like Barkis, are willing.

The only person who is at present believed certain of a place on the board is Samuel L. Powers of Newton, a former congressman, and, like Governor McCall, a graduate of Dartmouth. Mr. Powers was slated to be chairman of the Elevated board, after Mr. Adams had thrice declined the place, but failed to land the prize when Grenville S. McFarland's obstinacy made it necessary to throw the entire slate overboard.

Another who has been casting long eyes in the direction of the governor's office is John N. Cole of Andover, former speaker of the house of representatives, a defeated candidate for lieutenant governor, and now chairman of the commission on waterways and public lands. Mr. Cole laid the foundation for his candidacy last winter, when the public service commission was considering one of the many Bay State petitions for relief. The Andover statesman went before the commission and unfolded an elaborate scheme which he guaranteed would have the effect of making the company almost over night a paying proposition, and was much peeved when the commission failed to adopt it. Now, in order to prove the soundness of his views, he would like to become a public trustee with authority to try them out. Unfortunately for his aspirations, however, his weekly publication has declared for the renomination of Senator Weeks, and he is not likely to meet with favor in the governor's office.

Other candidates include Arthur G. Wadleigh, city solicitor of Lynn, who acted as spokesman for the "allied counsel" during all of the rate hearings; E. Gerry Brown of Bruckton, another prominent figure in those hearings; Charles A. Russell of Gloucester, until recently a member of the public service commission, but who was dropped in accordance with the legislative edict that the commission shall consist of three, instead of five members; Wm. S. Felton of Salem, long a member of the republican state committee; Edgar J. Rich of Winchester, formerly connected with the Boston & Maine railroad; David A. Curtin of Winthrop; Walter S. Kelley of Lawrence, and Maurice Kane of Whitman. HOYT.

LOWELL OWLS PLAN TO RUN WAR FUND BENEFIT CARNIVAL

In order to take care of their brethren who are in the service during the cold winter months, the members of the local Fraternal Order of Owls have arranged for a war fund benefit carnival to be conducted on the Lakeview avenue grounds during the week of July 15, and the Williams Standard shows have been engaged to fill the bill.

The Williams Standard shows is re-

ANNUAL JULY SALE



DON'T WAIT

My new fall goods are on my tables for your inspection. I have more of them than you ever saw in a tailor's establishment in your life. They are here right now for your selection and the picking is the very best, as to prices. No house on earth can buy goods and linings at present market value and compete with my offerings, while they last.

You may place your order now, with the understanding you don't want it for say two months. Take advantage of this sale and get first pick. Pay for your garment when you get it. This keeps my men busy in the dull season and saves congestion later on. Union tailors work eight hours a day only.

(Signed)

MITCHELL.

MEN OF LOWELL—Give ear to this unusual event. With high prices surging over the land, and invading every avenue of trade, I am forced to take heroic action to make this sale the bargain event it has always been in the past nine years.

With the approach of the tailors' dull month of August, my problem is to keep my force as busy as possible. With that end in view, I figure to give more for the money than any man can reasonably expect any place in this city.

Whole-heartedly and with firm resolve, I sacrifice profits for this annual event **REGARDLESS OF ADVANCING PRICES**, irrespective of market conditions. This July sale must maintain its past reputation at all costs.

TODAY and SATURDAY My Annual July Sale

Here is the largest, newest, highest grade stock in men's fabrics in the city. Thousands of yards, hundreds of styles, new and fresh this season. **Thirty Full Pieces of Wanskuk Serges**, ordered months ago and just received from the commission house, included in this sale.

A WARNING—Look out for cotton mixtures next fall. This fabric will sell around thirty-five dollars a suit. It looks good—handles well and contains about 30 per cent. cotton. I am not buying this class of merchandise, not while my present stock lasts.

I ask you to look me over at your earliest convenience and pick out what you want for the balance of this season, also your fall suit and overcoat. This sale is rich in the things you want, Blue Serges, Gray Worsteds, Green Homespuns, Silk Mixtures, Black Worsteds, Pencil Stripes and Novelties. Even the Blacks, Blues and Dark Staples are included in this sale.

MITCHELL, THE TAILOR 31 Merrimack Square, Lowell

puted to be the biggest and best company of its kind now touring the country. It consists of a main show, 12 side shows, three riding devices, 40 concessions, a free act and a feature band. It was only after a careful inspection of various shows that the committee in charge decided upon the Williams Standard shows, which is the only outside company allowed to perform in Canada this year. The company is now on its way to Eastern Canada, where it will perform at a seven weeks' fair. Lowell amusement seekers are assured of a treat if they take in the performances of the Williams Standard shows.

LIQUOR PROCURER AND TWO SOLDIERS ARRESTED IN FLETCHER STREET

John Alexander was arrested by Sgt. C. Stanwood Merrill of the Camp Devens military police and one of his associates in Fletcher street last night and was booked on a charge of furnishing liquor to soldiers. Two sol-

diers were also arrested by the sergeant and his comrade.

Before the men of the military police leave the camp it is impressed upon them that no frame-up tactics must be employed by them. When civilians offer to obtain liquor for M. P.'s they merely answer no and wait until they can see the man giving liquor to other than an M. P.

AERIAL VOYAGE

King and Queen of Belgium Back Home

PARIS, July 12 (Havas Agency).—The king and queen of Belgium, who had been visiting England, have returned to France by the same means which they used in crossing the channel to England—through the air. The return passage, the newspapers say, lasted 30 minutes. The royal couple said they were delighted with the experiences of the aerial voyage.

HUN WAR BONDS

Busch Family of St. Louis Said to Have Invested at Least \$1,000,000

\$100,000,000 Subscribed in This Country Before U. S. Entered the War

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Busch family of St. Louis bought at least \$1,000,000 worth of the German war bonds which the government believes were sold in this country for propaganda and for the purchase of the New York Evening Mail and other newspapers, according to a statement issued last night by Alfred Becker, deputy state attorney general. Mr. Becker added that probably more than \$100,000,000 worth of the bonds had been sold in the United States.

Mr. Becker emphasized the point that, while the United States was still neutral the imperial German government, without a cent of expense to itself, established a fund to "seduce" part of the American press with good American gold, exchanged for mere scraps of paper.

Many Americans, he said, invested in the German bonds before this country went to war in the same manner that they now are buying Liberty bonds, thinking that the money was to be used for the purchase of munitions and war supplies, and not suspecting their dollars were to be used against their own country.

The Adolphus Busch estate, A. A. Busch and Mrs. Lillie Busch were among the subscribers in America to the German war loans, he declared, adding that when Mrs. Busch was examined recently by the government agents on her arrival in this country she had disclaimed any knowledge of the alleged purchase of the Evening Mail.

Capt. David A. Henkes, who was dismissed from the United States army by court-martial for wishing to resign after being sent to France and who was sentenced to 25 years at Fort Leavenworth, used part of his army pay to buy German bonds, according to Mr. Becker.

After asserting that money raised on the bonds was eventually deposited to the credit of Dr. Heinrich P. Albert and Count von Bernstorff, Mr. Becker said in his statement: "In February, 1917, just before von Bernstorff sailed, he sent more than \$100,000 to Buenos Aires for the account of the German government."

"Dr. Albert and Count von Bernstorff checked out from the war loan fund in the Central Trust Co. and other institutions in this city what money they needed for buying newspapers."

We have not finished with our examinations. All of the evidence we are collecting will go before the grand jury and it is safe to assume there will be more arrests before we get through."

WOMAN'S MISSION CIRCLE

A large attendance was present at the monthly meeting of the Woman's Mission circle, which was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. B. Thomas and Miss Laura Palmer, 78 Hudson street. An interesting program was presented on "Home Missions" prepared by Miss Palmer. Among those present was Mrs. F. G. Milliken of Melrose, a well known member of this circle. A social hour followed, the Misses Ruth and Harriet Thomas serving refreshments. Vice President Mrs. Harry Swann presided.

The next meeting is to be held the first Wednesday in September.

TENCED FOR STEALING GERMAN LETTER CARRIER SENT TO COFFEE BEANS

NEW YORK, July 11.—A German letter carrier with a record of 26 years of service in Soemarra was recently sentenced to serve three months in prison for "stealing" 25 coffee beans which had fallen from a parcel post package in the postoffice, says the Berlin Tageblatt.

TOBACCO MARKET IN GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, July 1 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Under the standing caption, "The tobacco market" one finds nowadays in the commercial section of German newspapers announcements like this: Cherry leaves in great demand; market firm.

Beech leaves irregular. Large supplies offered from the Harz mountains. Prices fluctuating between 33 and 38 marks per cwt., according to quality. Well matured hops, 50 to 60 marks per cwt.

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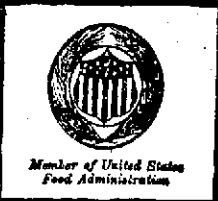
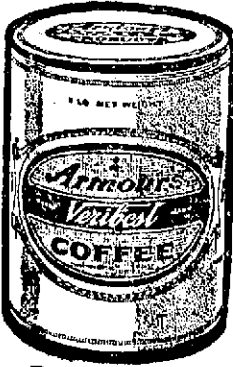
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SOLDIERS' VOTE
The War Department Cannot
Guarantee Any General
Vote
Soldiers in Active Service
Cannot be Reached Ex-
cept by Mail
(Special to The Sun)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—
Under the new orders issued Massa-
chusetts will not be able to take the

soldiers' vote in France, according to
general interpretation. The war de-
partment in its new ruling on taking
the soldiers' vote in France has made
it plain that such states as have pro-
vided for commissioners to go to
France and take the vote will find
they cannot accomplish that end. The
department states that "where the
state law requires sending of election
commissioners to take the soldiers'
vote the military authorities will place
at the disposal of such commissions
every assistance that is found to be
compatible with the exigencies of the
military situation," but adds: "In most
instances, however, it will be imprac-
ticable to permit such commissioners
to take the votes." The order also
states that the war department will
not hold itself in any way responsible
for the vote taking, and adds, "it will
not be possible to take the vote of any
soldier who is actively engaged in
military operations unless such soldier

be able to cast his vote by transmitt-
ing an executed ballot through the
mails as ordinary correspondence." It
states it will not undertake to forward
to men any ballot blanks or give in-
formation as to how they may be
reached for that purpose, except when
it is advisable to furnish such organ-
ization information to a state if known
to be in some specified organization.
When state laws require an oath to be
taken officers will be permitted to take
such oath but not required to do so.
The permission to do so extends only
in case it can be done without inter-
ference with military operations. The
order states all mail containing bal-
lots will be subject to the customary
censorship and leaves in doubt just
how the terms "engaged in active mil-
itary operations" may be construed. It
makes plain only one thing; and that is
that states must provide some other
method of vote taking than by com-
missions if they want to get the soldier
vote this fall. The department advises
that states follow these instructions as

It has found but few states have passed
laws which make soldier vote taking
possible. No reference is made to
taking the vote in camps in the
United States but the former order
showed that the government would
assist wherever practicable.
RICHARDS.

DRUGGISTS MAKE MERRY
AT CANOBIE LAKE

One of the most successful outings
of the season was held yesterday by
the local association of druggists at
Canobie Lake park in conjunction with
their Haverhill brothers.
A special car filled with the pill-
rollers left the square at 11.45, and
less than an hour found them at their
destination. On arriving there, they
found that the Haverhill representa-
tives were there ahead of them, and
everyone confessed to feeling rather
empty.
One o'clock found them all trooping
into the pavilion, where a fitting re-
past had been made ready. Before
falling to, Mr. Frank C. Campbell,
president of the local druggists' as-
sociation, who had been elected toast-
master of the occasion, spoke a few
words of welcome and also read the
list of athletic events and prizes for
the day's festivities as follows:
100 yard dash for boys of 18 and
over, 1st prize \$3.00; 2nd prize \$2.00.
100 yard dash for boys under 18,
1st prize, umbrella; 2nd prize, box
of candy.
Proprietors and managers, 100 yd.
dash, 1st prize, bath spray.
Running broad jump, 1st prize, Gil-
lett's safety razor; 2nd prize, box of
candy.
Ladies' handball throwing contest,
1st prize, bath spray.
Ladies' 50 yard dash, 1st prize, box
of candy; 2nd prize, Colgate's combi-
nation outfit.
Traveling men's race, 1st prize, \$5
gold piece.
Ball game between Lowell and Ha-
verhill associations. Winning team to
receive a silver Moxie cup, and a box
of cigars.
President Campbell also gave out the
lists of those whose donations had
helped make the outing's athletic pro-
gram so successful as follows:
Father John Co., \$5 gold piece; C. I.
Hood Co., printing; Cruickshank Ice
Cream Co., \$5; Sharp Ice Cream Co.,
\$5; Moxie Co., silver cup, 18 inches in
height; Samoset Candy Co., 10 lb. box
of chocolates; Gilman Bros., Gillette
safety razor; Quilley Chocolates Co.,
two 3-lb. boxes of candy; Brewer Co.,
Carter, Carter and Muggs, bath spray;
R. G. Sullivan, 200 cigars; John Web-
ster, 50 cigars; J. W. Nichols, box of
chocolates; Haverhill Wholesale Drug
Co., umbrella.
Pres. Campbell finished by giving
the names of the committees who had
put in their time to the end that the
outing should be a success. For
Lowell, President, Frank G. Campbell;
vice pres., Wm. R. Kiernan; executive
committee, Fred E. Jones, chairman,
Mr. F. Burt, Mr. Lantagne and Mr.
Noonan, who was also chairman of the
committee on sports. For Haverhill,
J. H. Edgerly, president; Gen. Green-
wood, secretary; executive committee,
F. S. Probie, chairman, Andrew Ritchie
and W. H. McGrath, who was likewise
chairman of the committee on sports.
It was stated that the number of
persons at table was 117.
The pavilion was tastefully de-
corated with flags and bunting, and
the service was perfect. At the close
of the meal Postmaster Campbell in-
troduced Rep. Murphy to the members.
Mr. Murphy made a brief address in
which he wished them all the best of
luck, now and in the future, and said
he would close with that sentiment, as
the time was approaching for the
sporting events.
Mr. Campbell also introduced Mr.
Sam McCord, who has been nominated
for a position on the Massachusetts
Board of Pharmacy. Mr. McCord, on
being called on for a speech, said that
if elected this fall he will do all in his
power to help any young members
who are about to take their examina-
tion for registered druggists.
On arriving at the athletic grounds,
the first race was the 100 yard dash
for the boys of 18 and over. McKay
of Lowell won first prize, and P.
Campbell of Lowell the second. In the
100 yard junior race, Ahearn of Haver-
hill carried off first prize, with Walsh
of Lowell second. The travelling
men's 100 yard dash was won by
Honore of New Hampshire, with
Chapman of Boston second. Ladies'
ball throwing contest was won by Miss
Chaloux, with a throw of 73 feet.
Ladies' 50 yard dash was won by Miss
Tuck, with Miss Markey second. Pro-
prietary 100 yard dash was won by
Harry Campbell of Lowell, with
Schlafman of Haverhill second. Run-
ning broad jump, won by Breen, with
Nolan second, both of Lowell. This
concluded the athletic events, with
the exception of the ball game, which was
immediately called to order.
The ball game proved an exciting
affair with Mr. Herbert Webster of
the umpiring. Some of the mem-
bers were unkind enough to suggest
that Herb's sight is rapidly failing
these days, but as Herb says, every
knock is a boost. It went seven in-
nings, and sad to relate, the finish
found Haverhill the victor by the score
of 10 to 2. Nolan pitched for Lowell,
and McGrath for the visitors. Nolan
pitched well but had poor support,
whereas McGrath was given fine back-
ing. Capt. Miller of the Lowell team
suffered a split finger in the first
inning, and had to retire. Gergin put
in the best work for Haverhill, his
hitting being a feature, and one of his
long throws from left field cut off
a runner at the plate by inches. For
Lowell, McCormack did the best all-
around work. Hits and errors mingled
freely, but the superior team work
of Haverhill was shown in the final
result. Lowell used almost an
entirely new team of substitutes dur-
ing the game. The original line-up
follows:
Miller, Capt., McGrath, Capt.
Lowell, Haverhill
Nolan, 1b., Donahue
Miller, c., 1f., Gergin
Shugrue, 3b., 3b., Kenney
Shay, 1b., cf., Callahan
Donahue, 1f., rf., Schlafman



Man Dear--?
Can You Answer This

WHERE, OH, WHERE! IN THE WIDE,
WIDE WORLD CAN YOU GET
\$12.50 Suits for \$8.45

And after you've stopped and pondered and wondered at
the audacity of a store in offering such a value in war times--
then, what do you think of

\$15 Suits for \$8.45

No we didn't steal 'em, and there's no joker in the pack.
They're honest, to goodness values, same as you've been getting
at Chalifoux's for over forty-three years.
They're new suits in the newest styles. Some are con-
servative while others will arouse young fellows to action
who want something full of pep.

THESE \$12.50 AND \$15.00 SUITS AT \$8.45
ARE TWO-PIECE COOL SUMMER
OUTING SUITS

Made of wool crashes. Nearly all sizes, regular and stout, are
here in plain and mixtures. Patch pockets.

Men's Pants.....	\$1.00, \$1.25
Men's Khaki Coats, plain or Norfolk style, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.75	
Alpaca and Light Cotton Coats for warm weather or office wear.....	\$1.50, \$5.00
White Flannel Pencil Stripe Pants, \$6 value,	\$4.00
Men's Fancy Worsteds in stout, long and regular sizes, one, two, three of a pattern, sizes to 50, long or stout. This sale of worsted suits includes a few odd Adler- Rochesters and other well known brands,	\$21.50

Men's Khaki Breeches.....	\$2.00, \$2.50
Mohair Outing Suits, plain or pencil stripes, in blue, black and gray; patch pockets, rein- forced seams and lined pants; regular and stout sizes to 50, small sizes, 34 chest, good values at \$15.00. Special.....	\$12.50
Flannel Two-Piece Suits in fine mixtures, the latest military models, big patch or up and down pockets, with seam at waist line, half or all around silk yoke.....	\$15.00



Lucky Man
YOU CAN BUY A
\$3 \$3.50 or \$4
SILK SHIRT for
\$1.85

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS OF FIBRE SILK THAT ARE SLIGHTLY
SOILED. IF MEN HADN'T THOUGHT SO MUCH OF THEM
AT \$3 TO \$4 THEY WOULDN'T BE HERE FOR \$1.85, FOR
THEY WERE SOILED IN HANDLING

These 65c Silk Four-in-Hands at 45c
Will go fine with the shirts. Slide easy band, wide open ends.

Walsh, cf.
McKay, 1b.
Ready, cf.
McCormick, ss.
The score:
Haverhill..... 0 0 4 0 1 5 0-10
Lowell..... 1 0 1 0 1 0 2-5
At the close of the game the mem-
bers scattered, some to the bowling
alleys, while others found recreation
in boating or dancing as their taste
happened to be. Several of the mem-
bers had brought their wives or sweet-
hearts, so dancing partners were not
lacking.
The special car back left the
grounds at 8.45, but quite a number
of the members went back earlier in
the evening, either by trolley or ma-
chine. It was pronounced by all to be
one of the most enjoyable outings held
in years, as one of them put it, "the
end of a perfect day."

ers' Aid society, which keeps a uni-
formed representative on duty every
day during the 24 hours. The housing
situation is taken care of by those in
charge of the booth belonging to the
District Council of National Defense.
A list of rooms for temporary and per-
manent occupancy is kept there and
newcomers to the city are referred to
the council's room registration bureau,
1321 New York avenue, and to the

Young Women's Christian association,
14th and G streets, for news about liv-
ing conditions. The army ordnance and
quartermaster booth and the navy
booth look after workers who have
been sent for by their special branches
of the government service. Women
who are not yet placed are referred to
the free employment service for wom-
en, 1410 Pennsylvania avenue.

"I JUST want to thank you for Dr.
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is fine.
I use it for my baby, my husband and myself,
and simply can't do without a bottle of it in
the house."

(From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by
Mrs. John W. Christensen, 603 So. 2nd
East, Brigham City, Utah)

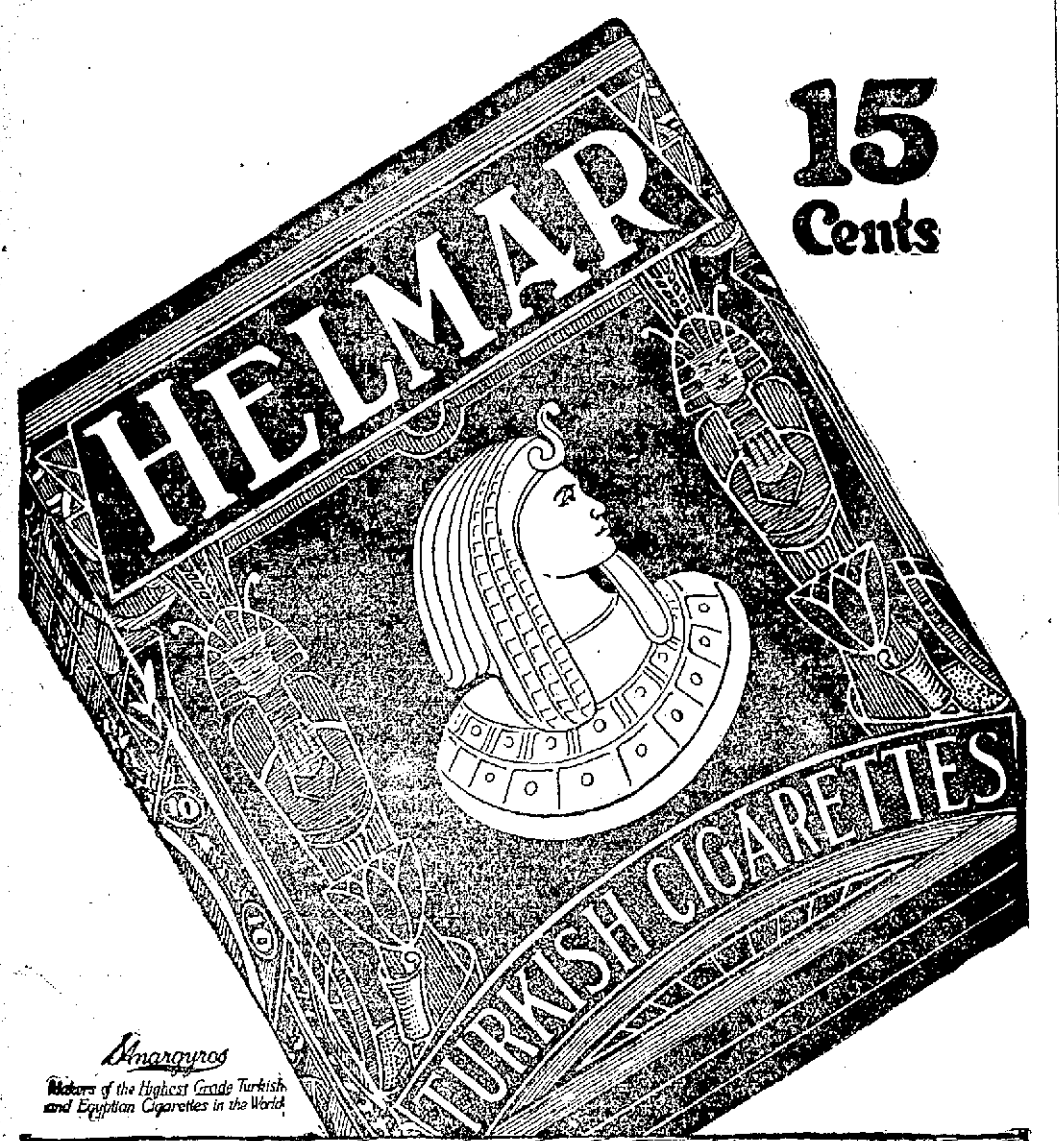
Dr. Caldwell's
Syrup Pepsin
The Perfect Laxative

old by Druggists Everywhere
50 cts. (Two) \$1.00

Quickly corrects disorders of the intestinal
tract, relieves the congestion and restores nor-
mal regularity. It is gentle in action and does
not gripe. A trial bottle can be obtained by
writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 458 Washington
St., Monticello, Illinois.



I said "Helmar!"



Quality-Superb

Women who are losing
weight and energy—who
look pale and feel languid—
need the healthful effects of
Beecham's
Pills.
Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

FIREMEN TO HOLD STATE CONVENTION HERE

Final arrangements for the state convention of the Stationary Firemen's union, which will be held in this city next Monday and Tuesday, were completed at a meeting of Local 14, Stationary Firemen's union, held last evening at 32 Middle street. It was decided that the headquarters of the convention will be at the Waverly hotel and delegates are requested to report there immediately upon their arrival in this city. The convention will open Monday morning at 10 o'clock in Hamilton hall, Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street and at 1 o'clock dinner will be served to the delegates at the Waverly hotel. The committee in charge of the convention is composed of the following:

Thomas F. Quinn, chairman; secretary, Thomas J. McGee; treasurer, John W. Downing; Michael F. Sullivan, Dominick Meahan, chairman of reception committee; John P. Hendrick, John E. Dean, Alfred A. Green, Edward Dowlin, James McGreevy, Michael Finn, Michael Connevy, James O. Rourke.

In the course of the meeting 14 new members were initiated and 16 applications for membership were received. The prize drawing organized by the local to help defray the expenses of the convention was held. Private William Buckley, who is enjoying a furlough at his home, drawing the coupons. The ticket numbers drawn, the winners and the donors of the prizes are as follows:

2420, Charles Brown, 142 Fayette st., \$10, local 14.
3595, A. Fitzgerald, 34 Mead st., barrel of flour, Cartridge shop local.
1535, William Conley, 52 Midland st., half ton of coal, Fred H. Rourke.
6438, name unknown, \$5 in gold, O'Connell & Mack.
5672, name unknown, Mayor Perry D. Thompson, \$5 in gold.
985, A. Fitzgerald, 34 West Third st., travelling bag, donated Commissioner Donnelly.
4525, Thos. McCarthy, 104, local, \$5 in gold, Commissioner Warnock.
5867, James Mulran, brewery, \$5 in gold, Commissioner Morse.
5410, John Fitzgerald, 59 Bartlett st., \$5 in gold, Commissioner Brown.
6055, Sam Gardner, 50 Hampshire st., case of peas, friend.
1819, Philena Hunt, 3 Fourth st., \$5 in gold, Unity association.
3450, Dan Callahan, water department, boulevard, umbrella, Merrimack Clothing Co.
9234, William Condon, 36 Westford st., pair of gloves, J. F. Miskella.
5633, Trades and Labor council, merchandise to value of \$3, by J. L. Chalifoux Co.
1036, Mr. Vennard, 13 Stromquist avenue, merchandise to value of \$2, Talbot Clothing Co.
4380, George V. Bean, city hall, shirt, donated by D. S. O'Brien Co.
5513, Arthur O'Dell, 139 Jewett st., gold cuff links, donated by Macartney's Apparel Shop.
Edward Devlin, a member of the local got a \$5 prize for selling the largest number of tickets.

Woolen Spinners
A feature of last evening's meeting of the members of the Woolen Spinners' union was the presentation of wrist watches to Privates William Buckley of aviation corps, stationed in Texas and Joseph Hudson of Ft. Banks, the presentation being made by President Frank Pooler. Routine business was transacted and a social hour was held.

Painters' Union
A regular meeting of Local 39, Painters' union was held in Carpenters hall last evening with Cornelius C. Collins in the chair. Routine business was transacted and a communication showing that the council is in excellent condition was received from the Building Trades council.

District Council
An important meeting of the district council of the Carpenters' union was held in Carpenters' hall last evening with President Joseph A. Roy in the chair. A feature of the meeting was the installation of 29 delegates by State President Michael A. Lee.

HIT BY AUTOMOBILE
As she was alighting from an electric car near her home at Kenwood last evening, Miss Christina Provost was struck and thrown to the ground by an automobile owned and operated by Frank L. Curtis of 88 Draper st., Dorchester. The young woman received a scalp wound in the back of the head and a fractured rib. She was removed to St. John's hospital by the owner of the machine. The accident occurred at about 6.45 o'clock and the case was reported to the police by Mr. Curtis.

SHOE RETAILERS ASKED TO ASSIST IN PROGRAM FOR CONSERVATION OF LEATHER

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Shoe retailers were asked yesterday by the War Industries board to assist in the program for conservation of leather and labor adopted by manufacturers and wholesale dealers. The retailers are asked specifically to make reductions in the amount and variety of stock ordered for the 1919 spring season. No interference will be made with the disposal of stocks now on hand or ordered for the fall season.

The Bon Marche

DRESS IT UP

All your summer duds bought? Yes?

Well, what about your home? Aren't you going to dress THAT up now?

Make it a better place to live in. Bring to it that atmosphere of cheerfulness, that should be there, by having those rooms re-papered.

Do it now. Come in and look over our large assortment of papers that help to bring cheer and comfort to the home. It's a pleasure to show you.

For Over 43 Years This Store Has Supplied Lowell People With Something Not to be Found in Any Other Store in the World—

Chalifoux Value

THESE ARE THE DAYS OF THE BIG VALUES AT THE SUMMER STORE

Chalifoux value is supreme because we ask only a moderate profit—10 to 15 per cent. less than customary in the average store. Everything is always marked at the lowest possible price. We intend that every price shall be low enough to sell the article while it is fresh, new and more useful. Consequently old merchandise is not piling up here. You will find nothing but desirable summer goods at Chalifoux's.

These are the days of big values. Not once in a while. Not once a month or once a week, but every day. Chalifoux value works all the time, every business day in the year. And Chalifoux's is now the summer store. We have the largest summer stocks in our history. Enormous selections of summer necessities and vacation needs, priced so attractively that thousands are coming to Chalifoux's for every requirement.

New Comers to Lowell:—We want to meet you—We want your patronage—Want you to experience the service, courtesy and attentiveness of Chalifoux salespeople. Chalifoux's is a department store. Everything for the home. Everything to wear. Everything for men, women and children—And a big, hearty WELCOME awaits you.

Here's a Mighty Good Sale of Women's Anderson Gingham Dresses

At a Wonderfully Low Price for ANDERSON GINGHAMS



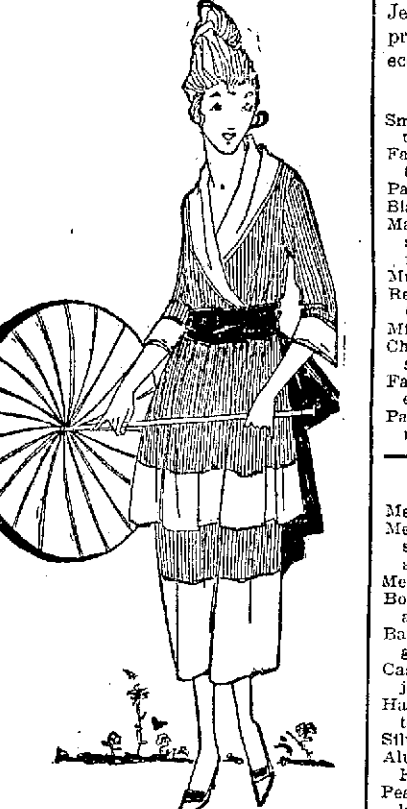
Pretty as a picture in their perfectly plain style with large pearl buttons used for trimming.

\$7.50

Fifty dresses at this price include voiles with dainty pretty effects. Only \$7.50

NEW YORK FIFTH AVENUE STYLES AT

\$10



Linen Sleeveless Suits from New York, made of high grade linen, in colors—rose, leather, natural, brown and white.....
Straight Linen Liberty Dresses in open and light blue, trimmed with buttons that have celluloid back and will not rust. Exceptional value for.....
Lovely Organdie Liberty Dresses in checks, solid colors, black and white stripes, blue and white stripes, green and white and blue with yellow embroidery.....

About 50 Satin Taffeta Dresses for fall, in taupe, navy and black—
Georgette Crepe Dresses, blue, black, navy and open—
Crepe de Chine Dresses, blue, taupe and black.....**\$25.00**

About 35 Crepe de Chine, Taffeta and Tub Silk Foulards—One in particular is made of black and white foulard, made with over-skirt and trimmed with black satin,.....**\$12.50**

About 100 Taffeta, Satin, Crepe de Chine Dresses in taupe, navy and black. Made with georgette sleeves, and trimmed with organdie collars and cuffs.....**\$18.00**

LIBERTY DRESSES AT \$10—Are absolutely the greatest value we know of in America. We believe you will not be able to duplicate the quality for less than \$12 to \$15, and of course, we think you cannot duplicate the styles at any price. Both the manufacturer and Chalifoux's agreed to forget profits in providing Liberty Dresses for.....**\$10.00**

Little Grey Shops for Children

A BABY IN THE HOUSE IS A WELL SPRING OF PLEASURE."

Babies certainly are a pleasure, but they need much care and attention, especially during the warm weather that is to come. Mothers come to the Little Grey Shops for everything a baby needs from the layette to the tiny little shoes. Our graduate nurse gladly gives advice to mothers. See the model sleeping room and the model nursery.

Child size Chairs for proper fitting of children's shoes so their feet won't hurt when they grow up.

Children's Bathing Suits in navy, red and gray with white trimming, sizes 24 to 28.....**\$1.49**

Children's Bathing Suits in navy and gray, trimmed with white, in sizes 26 to 34.....**\$1.98**

Infants' Long Slips, Bishop style, with hamburg trimming.....**59c**

Babys' Play Yards, just the thing for summer. Put them on the lawn or the porch; made of oak or white enamel,.....**\$3.49, \$3.98, \$7.50**

Children's White Stockings, in hse, cotton, cashmere, and silk and wool, sizes 4 to 6½.....**25c to 69c**

VISIT CHALIFOUX'S NEW RUG AND FURNITURE STORE

BRING THE KIDDIES TO THE CHILDREN'S BARBER SHOP Second Floor

THRIFT STAMPS ARE SOLD AT THE INFORMATION DESK

BUY MORE WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

VISIT CHALIFOUX'S NEW RUG AND FURNITURE STORE

The Blouse Shop

Is where you will find the loveliest Blouses for your vacation. Sheerest of georgettes, heavy crepe de chine and plain linens and dainty organdies. Oh, such a variety!



Georgette Crepe and Russian Blouses, slip-on style, lace trimmed.....**\$10.00**

Voile Blouses in slip-ons, Russian blouse effect, Dutch neck with and without collars, all daintily trimmed and a beautiful assortment to select from.....**\$1.98**

Wash Silk Blouses, white and flesh; regular \$2.98 value,.....**\$1.98**

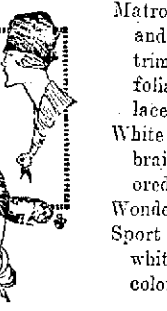
Blouses of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe, extra heavy quality.....**\$2.98**

French Voiles in hand embroidery, **\$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.00**

Georgette Crepe Blouses, daintily braided yoke, button back, Dutch neck, **\$5.00**

VACATION MILLINERY

For your vacation we could suggest nothing better than a Milan Hat, so becoming and yet so simple.



Matron's Hats, blacks and colored straws, trimmed with flowers, foliage, ribbons and lace braids.....**\$3.98**
White Milan Hats, lace braids, made with colored French crepes, Wonder hats.....**\$5.00**
Sport Hats, black and white, all white, and colored straws, **\$3.75, \$3.98, \$5.00**

VISIT CHALIFOUX'S NEW RUG AND FURNITURE STORE

ALL 'ROUND THE STREET FLOOR

Organdie Vests, net plaited edge with cuffs.....**\$1.00**
Madam Hillman's Wavers, 5 on card.....**15c**
Trimming Buttons in ivory.....**50c and 75c**
Countess Invisible Hair Pins, box.....**15c**
Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.....**10c**
Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 3 boxes for.....**25c**
Children's Handkerchiefs, 3 for.....**25c**
Bag Ribbon, beautiful colors, yard.....**\$1.49**

BEST LARGE NEW POTATOES No 1 SELECTED STOCK 15-lb. Peck **57c**

BEST NATIVE WAX or BUTTER BEANS, qt. **7 1/2c**

NATIVE BUNCH BEETS 5c | **NATIVE BUNCH CARROTS** 5c | **NATIVE WHITE TURNIPS** 5c | **NATIVE Tennis Ball LETTUCE** 5c

PARSLEY, Bu. 5c | RADISHES, Bu. 2c | Wh. Onions, lb. 7c | Nat. Endive, pk. 15c

ARMOUR'S PORK, CUT IN CHOPS, lb. **23c**

SWIFT'S GENUINE LEG and LOIN LAMB lb. **33c**

CARRY IT HOME! THE BURDEN'S LIGHT, JUST THINK OF THEM WHO HAVE TO FIGHT!

Carry your groceries, etc., home with you. Every one is mobilizing to conserve the man power of the country. It will help you save money also. If you have joined the save-food-and-money movement you should pay this big market a visit. You will note that our foods are of full value and that they are priced in a manner that appeals to thrifty folks.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

BEST NATIVE Stringless Green BEANS, qt. **7 1/2c**

NEW NATIVE DRUM HEAD Cabbage, lb. **4c**

JUST IN—NEW RED APPLES, qt. **10c**

RED RIPE TOMATOES, lb. **6c**

NATIVE SCULLIONS, 3 bunches **5c**

NATIVE GREEN PEAS, qt. **10c**

Texas Onions, lb. 3c | Beet Greens, pk. 10c | Cucumbers, ea. . . . 5c | Rhubarb, lb. . . . 3c

FANCY MILK FED LEG and LOIN lb. **23c**

ARMOUR'S SMALL PORK To Roast, lb. **21c**

LEGS OF Yearling, lb. **21c**

Cnd. Ox Tongue, lb. 23c | Sp. Ribs, lb. . . . 16c

Steaks FANCY SIRLOIN CUTS, lb. **23c**

SUGAR CURED SMOKED HAMs, lb. **31c**

BEEF IS LOWER. TOP RIBS, lb. **28c**

FOWL FANCY, TO FRICASSEE, lb. **33c**

CUT-UP FOWL, lb. **32c**

SUGAR CURED SMOKED Shoulders, lb. **21c**

Salt Bn. Pork, lb. . . . 20c | Crnd. Pigs' Ft. lb. 5c

Steaks ROUND, CUT THROUGH, lb. **30c**

SLICED SUGAR CURED HAM, lb. **38c**

BEEF IS LOWER. CHUCK CUTS, lb. **20c**

Boneless ROLLED ROAST BEEF, lb. **23c**

CHICAGO SIRLOIN BUTTS, lb. **27c**

BONELESS FANCY SMOKED Shoulders, lb. **27c**

Pork Liver, lb. . . . 5c | Bris. Crnd. Beef, lb. 25c

Steaks CHOICE CUTS RUMP, lb. **35c**

SUGAR CURED SMKD. BACON, lb. **31c**

BEEF IS LOWER. POT ROAST, lb. **18c**

John P. Squire's FRESH PORK SHOULDERs, lb. **27c**

FANCY PORK BUTTS, lb. **25c**

CORNER OR SWT. PICKLED Shoulders, lb. **20c**

Th. Rib. C. Beef, lb. 21c | Stckg. Pcs. lb. 20c

Steaks TOP ROUND CUTS, lb. **33c**

MORRELL'S SMOKED BACON, lb. **38c**

BEEF IS LOWER. SIRLOIN TIP ROAST, lb. **22c**

Tenderloin Steak, lb. **29c**

FANCY PORK SHOULDERS, lb. **25c**

FANCY FORES Yearling, lb. **19c**

Nav. End C. Beef 17c | Snouts and Ears, 12c

Steaks ELEGANT VEIN CUTS, lb. **32c**

SWEET PICKLED HAMs, lb. **30c**

BEEF IS LOWER. FACE OF RUMP, lb. **30c**

Small Fancy Northern Turkey, lb. **42c**

LAMB and VEAL TO STEW, lb. **23c**

Marvel Milk, can. . . . 13c
Eagle Milk, can. . . . 19c
Del. Tomatoes, big can 17c
Walker Glass Cond. Milk, jar 20c
Borden's Small Evap. Milk, can. . . . 8 1/2c
Canned Syrup, can. . . . 12 1/2c
Can Sauerkraut, can. 12 1/2c
Wht. Pm. Ammobi, bot 12c
Van Camp's Small Evap. Milk, can. . . . 8 1/2c
Gardland Spinach, big can 2 1/2c
No. 10 Terrapin Spinach, can. . . . 10c
Libby's Sauerkraut, can. . . . 10c
Regal Tomatoes, b. can. 17c
Holsum Bld. Beans, can. 12c
Moneyworth Pork & Beans, can. . . . 10c
Maine Chins, can. . . . 10c
Lunch Chm Chowder, can. . . . 10c
No. 1 can 17c
Pink Salmon, can. . . . 17c

No. 10 Can Scottish Chef Tomato Catsup, can. \$1.10
Thomas Red Beans, can. 12c
Old Seal Brand Cond. Milk, can. . . . 12c
Buoy Brand Tomatoes, 14c
Van Camp's Spaghetti, can. . . . 13c-23c
Thick Sate Fish, 1 lb. cods, pkg. . . . 8c
American Sardines, 7c can 4c
Purce Tomatoes, can. . . . 8c
Stone King Sardines, can. 15c
Nepko Sardines in oil, 15c
Gloucester Fat Herring, can. . . . 10c
Campbell's Soup, can. . . . 11c
Nyma Egg Plums, can. . . . 15c
Mtd. Red Salmon, can. . . . 15c
Rnd. Calif. Sardines, can 10c
Bay State Compound, lb. 25c

Cudahy's Rex-"White" Oleo

Made with Coconut Oil. Pound **25c**

30 lb. Pail Jelly, lb. . . . 12c
Prunes, 90-100 Oregon. 10c
Prunes, 60-70 Calif. . . . 12c
Delmonte Raisins, 15. . . . 13c
Seedless Raisins 10c
Prunes, 90-100 Calif. lb. 10c
Nileas Spinach, can. . . . 19c
Lord Tomatoes, No. 3 can. . . . 17c
Egg Tomatoes, No. 8 can. . . . 17c
Lulu Ho. Salmon, No. 3 can. . . . 35c
Libby's Good Tomatoes, No. 3 can. . . . 17c
Luchon Salmon, can. 15c
Klipped Herring, can. 10c
No. 2 Casino Tom. can. 15c
Webster's Red Beans, No. 2 can. . . . 12c
Eureka Tomatoes, No. 3 can. . . . 17c
Borden's Evap. Milk, tall can. . . . 11c
Van Camp's Evap. Milk, tall can. . . . 11c

PRINT CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. **45c**

Saunders' Lard

Lily White Pound **27c**

Lowell's Leading Food Market

Cudahy's Rex-"White" PURE Lard

Lily White Pound **27c**

Libby's Evap. Milk, tall can. . . . 10c
Parren's Lima Beans, can. . . . 10c
Soaked Peas, can. . . . 9c
Come Lima Beans, can. 10c
Pine Cone Tomatoes, No. 2 can. . . . 14c
O.K. Beans, can. . . . 15c
Bay State Spinach, can. 21c
Arm and Hammer Soda pkg. . . . 12c
Shedden Raspberries, can. . . . 25c
Oval Green Soap, 7 bars 25c
Light House Cleanser, can. . . . 4c
Blue Rich Chili Sauce, 2c bot. . . . 25c
Snider's Salad Dressing, 25c bot. . . . 25c
Welcome Soap, 8 bars. 35c
Table Salt . . . 7c-12c bag
Tuna Fish, can. . . . 23c

Karo Syrup, can. . . . 12 1/2c
Hammer Soap, 6 bars. 25c
Argo Corn Starch, \$1 doz.
P. & G. Naphtha Soap, 6 bars. . . . 35c
Fels Naphtha, 6 bars. . . . 35c
White Rose Rice, lb. . . . 12c
Golden Crown Syrup, can. . . . 12c
Caribou Soap, cake. . . . 9c
Quality Peas, can. . . . 14c
Sentinel Peas, can. . . . 12c
Libby's Asparagus Soup, can. . . . 6 1/2c
Angelus Cranberry Beans, can. . . . 12c
Palm Olive Soap, 2 cakes with coupon.
Swift's P. Washing Powder, small and large. . . . 4c-16c
Snider's Chili Sauce, bot 25c
Salt, 56 lb. bags. . . . 75c
Export Soap, 6 bars. . . . 25c
Sunlight Soap, 8 bars. . . . 35c
Lava Soap, each. . . . 6c
Scourline, a hand soap, ea 3c

Lenox, 7 bars. . . . 25c
Snowberry, 7 bars. . . . 25c
Fairy, 6 bars. . . . 35c
Mascot, 7 bars. . . . 25c
Clean Easy Naphtha, 60 bar box. . . . \$3.10
Lux, pkg. . . . 11c
Sweetheart Soap, 6 cks. 25c
Grandma's Soap Powder, 4c
Babbitt's 1776, pkg. . . . 5c
Ivory Soap, 6 cakes. . . . 35c
Gold Medal Powd, pkg. 11c
Crystalline Salt, 15c can. . . . 9c
Canned Squash, can. . . . 15c
Hart's Red Kidney Beans, can. . . . 14c
Preserving Jar, pt. size. . . . 39c
Mince Meat, Sunbeam, pkg. . . . 8c
Dorby Chicken Broth, 12c
Toilet Paper, pkg. . . . 5c
Chow Chow, bot. . . . 10c

POOR SPORTS

Huns Now Protest What They Themselves Inaugurated Early in War

Say no Military Purpose, Served by Attack on Towns Outside War Zone

GENEVA, July 12.—Another campaign has been undertaken along the Rhine to prevent allied aerial bombardment of Rhine towns.

The Landtag of the duchy of Baden has been asked to pass a resolution requesting the government of the grand duchy to exercise its influence with the imperial authorities to come to an arrangement with the belligerents to abandon on both sides the aerial bombardment of towns outside the zone of military operations. In a speech in the Landtag in favor of the proposition Deputy Narun declared that aerial attacks on localities behind the front served no military purpose and that only innocent women and children suffered.

The Lausanne Gazette declares that the Germans since the beginning of the war have bombarded London and Paris with Zeppelins and airplanes more than a hundred times, while the allies during the three years for various reasons were unable to reply, but did not whine. Now the Germans, it adds, after only a few months of bombard-

ment of their open towns, are crying: "Kamerad."

FRANCE AND U. S. CLOSELY UNITED

PARIS, July 12 (Havas Agency).—A message from Secretary of the Navy Daniels, published in the Matin, says that France and the United States, united by historical friendship, have become still more closely bound together in the formidable struggle against autocracy. He declares that the hundreds of thousands of Americans already in France are only the vanguard of the armies that will follow and that the submarines will be useless to stop them. The message concludes by asserting that the United States will participate wholeheartedly in the celebration of July 14, Bastille day.

SALE OF HOLMAN CHAIRS AND DESKS

J. E. Conant & Co. makes the following report of their sale at Chelsea Wednesday:

We are pleased to report that the sale of the 10,220 Holman chairs and 131 Holman roll-top and office desks, and the six oval office or library tables, and the 88,000 feet of mahogany and cherry and black walnut and oak and ash lumber, and the chair stock, took place at the Holman plant at 155 Marginal street, Chelsea, last Wednesday, in accordance with the published catalogue. The sale started promptly at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon and was fully completed at 3:40 o'clock in the afternoon. The 128 lots of chairs were sold practically as scheduled and described in the catalogue, from 62 1/2 cents to \$7 apiece; the 140 desks and tables were sold at the highest cash bid each, from \$7 to \$35. The attendance numbered 100 bidders, and everything moved along with regularity and the sale as a whole was a particularly active and satisfactory one. Purchasers were present from all over New England, and the property sold is undoubtedly to receive a wide distribution. The sale aggregated \$23,300.

LOWELL BOY WINS FAMOUS WINCHESTER JUNIOR RIFLE CORPS MEDAL

Michael Keohane, 128 Agawam street, with a score of 357 has been awarded the sharpshooter medal and diploma offered by the Winchester Junior Rifle

corps, a recently formed national organization to promote shooting among the boys and girls in America. Marksman and sharpshooter medals are offered by the Winchester Junior Rifle corps to any boy or girl not over 18 years of age. A score of 19 out of a possible 25 on each of ten targets wins the marksman medal, and a score of 24 out of a possible 35 on each of 15 targets wins the sharpshooter medal. The targets must be shot at a 50-foot range. J. L. & H. Hartford have been appointed local representatives of the Winchester Junior Rifle corps, and any boy and girl may register at their store and secure membership certificates, official button and targets.

DENIED BY PERSHING

American Commander Contradicts Soldiers' Tales of German Atrocities

WASHINGTON, July 12.—General Pershing has challenged the statements attributed by a St. Louis newspaper to an American sergeant, who is credited with having asserted in speeches that he had seen an American boy who had been captured by the Germans, who had cut off his ears, that Germans were feeding tuberculosis germs to Americans and giving poisoned candy to children. The sergeant credited with these statements was one of the group of 50 "Pershing veterans" who came to this country to assist in the third Liberty loan campaign. General Pershing's cablegram to the war department follows:

"A St. Louis, Mo., paper recently received here states that a sergeant, one of the 50 men sent back in connection with the Liberty loan campaign, is making speeches, in which he states: 'The Germans gave poisoned candy to the children to eat and hand grenades to play with. They show glee at the children's dying writhings and laugh aloud when the grenades explode. I saw one American boy about 17 years old, who had been captured by the Germans come back to our trenches. He had cotton in and about his ears. I asked someone what the cotton was for.'"

"The Germans cut off his ears and sent him back to tell us they want to fight men," was his answer. They feed Americans tuberculosis germs."

"As there is no foundation whatever for such statements based on any experience we have had, I recommend that this sergeant, if the statements quoted above were made by him, be immediately returned for duty here and that the statements be contradicted."

"PERSHING."

AT HOG ISLAND

Rapid Progress Toward Completion of Shipyards

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—Rapid progress is being made toward the completion of the Hog Island shipyards, according to Francis T. Bowles, director of operations, who today announced that 35 keels had been laid and that the number of workers at the yard had reached 28,500. This, he said, was 1500 short of the number of employees that would be required to operate the yard at full capacity. All the ways are expected to be completed early in August.

PROFITING IN GERMANY

NEW YORK, July 11.—A new method of profiteering in Germany was disclosed in the Reichstag recently when Socialist Deputy Meierfeld declared that private contractors were making millions from government contracts for the manufacture of workclothes to replace the metal knobs seized under the recent order of the German government.

If you want quick returns try a classified ad in The Sun, Lowell's greatest newspaper.

NO BUSINESS WITH HUNS

Britain Stops All Trade With Germany—507 Enemy Firms Forced to Quit

(By Newspaper Enterprise Assn.) LONDON, July.—The last vestiges of the once formidable German trade in

England are fast disappearing. Under the trading with the enemy act, passed in 1916, England paved the way for purging herself from all Teutonic trade influences after the war. The intricate system by which the Germans obtained control of many of the industries in the islands have either been abolished or taken over by the government.

In February, 1916, a committee was appointed under the leadership of Ernest Moon, counsel to the speaker of the house of commons, to investigate conditions relative to businesses which appeared, by reason of the enemy na-

tionalty of the person conducting them to be carried on for the benefit of German subjects.

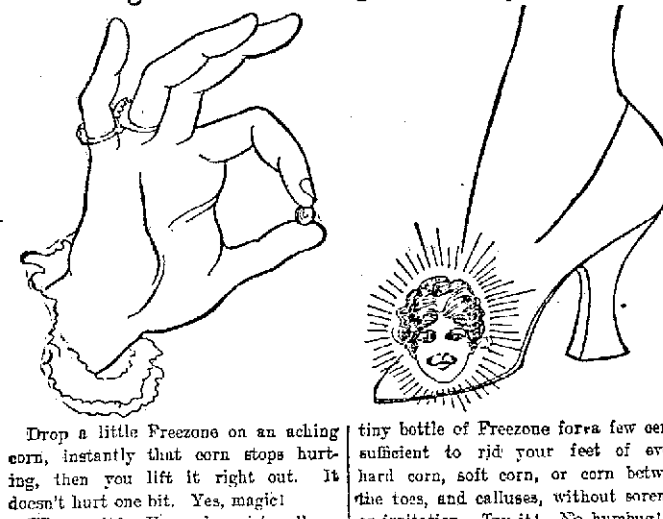
Since then the committee has had under investigation more than 950 cases, of which 507 were forced to discontinue business and 100 were placed in charge of the government. The rest are being carefully watched.

Many concerns operating under English names and charters were found to be controlled by enemy aliens, with the intent of hiding their identity from the public.

Throughout the country steps are now being taken to prevent the Teutonic trade powers from obtaining control of certain trades after the war.

Lift Off Corns!

"Freezone" is Magic! Lift any Corn or Callus right off with fingers—No pain!



Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right off. It doesn't hurt one bit. Yes, magic! Why wait? Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of Freezone for a few cents, sufficient to rid your feet of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and calluses, without soreness or irritation. Try it! No humbug!

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198 MERRIMACK ST.

WHITE PETTICOATS For Any Occasion

Of Every Description

Tub silk, with double panel, front and back	\$3.75-\$4.50	Hamburg trimmed, all lovely,	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Wash satin, double panel, front and back, and double flounce, in flesh and white	\$5.00	Sateen petticoats, with tub silk flounce,	\$2.25
Nainsook petticoat, handsome lace flounces, with embroidered inserts,	\$3.98 to \$5.98	Extra sizes, in all kinds, with prices right, Heatherbloom petticoats, floral designs or plain colors.	\$1.98
Handsomely trimmed, lace flounces,	\$1.98 to \$4.00	Silk petticoats, beauties,	\$1.98 to \$10.98

Many Others too Numerous to Mention. Our window display shows a few samples.

O'BRIEN'S

"Times is Changed"

We offer today, a limited choice—about 100—

Last Season **Fancy Suits**

Some Stein-Bloch's, that sold at \$20 and \$25

\$17.50



Formerly, we clothiers were reluctant to admit that this or that garment was "last season's." It didn't help the sale.

But "times is changed." Now, men are asking for last year's fabrics. They're much better than the new ones, and cost less.

These Suits we offer you at \$17.50 could not be bought today and sold under \$25 to \$30. Of course, the style would be fresher, but these models are largely of the staple variety, and if you value service first, they're wonderful trades.

However, the fabrics are not staple—they're reasonable homespun and chevots, right for NOW, and we want to sell them NOW.

Hence the price \$17.50—instead of \$20 and \$25.

The sizes are 34 to 40 mostly—a few larger.

Two-piece Summer Suits of Kool Kloth, Palm Beach, Flannels and Crashes **\$10, \$12, \$13.50**

D. S. O'BRIEN CO.

222 Merrimack Street

CASUALTY LIST

52 Names on Today's Army Report—Nine Were Killed in Action

20 Other Deaths—15 Severely Wounded—Four N. E. Men on List

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The army casualty list today shows 52 names divided as follows:

Killed in action, nine; died of wounds, seven; died of disease, seven; died of airplane accident, two; died of accidents and other causes, four; wounded severely, 15; wounded slightly, one; wounded, degree undetermined, two; missing, five.

The list:

Killed in Action
Lt. W. Brown, Washington, D. C.



FRIDAY

House-cleaning day! And here's a quick, easy way to make walls and woodwork spic-and-span. Make a paste of



MULE TEAM BORAX SOAP CHIPS

Apply with a damp cloth and see how quickly dirt, dust and finger marks will disappear. Better than any soap or cleaner and much more economical. "It's the Borax with the soap that does the work."

At All Dealers

Lt. H. M. Coppinger, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Lt. John C. Palsey, Gibsonville, N. C.
Lt. A. M. Trotter, Camden, E. C.
Ser. P. G. Miller, Lancaster, Pa.
Pr. Sherman L. Conklin, Newark, N. J.
Pr. B. Dussanne, Schenectady, N. Y.
Pr. Harry E. Jones, Roanoke, Va.
Pr. Walter Santinaw, Potsdam, N. Y.

Died From Wounds
Capt. Geo. H. Spalding, Columbus, Ky.
Lt. Robert E. Ball, Wollaston, Mass.
Pr. J. W. Bresnahan, Rochester, N. Y.
Pr. Harry Erieman, Sterling, Ill.
Pr. J. V. Fennessy, Rochester, N. Y.
Pr. Hyman Klein, New York.
Pr. Walter F. Ryan, Portage, Wis.

Died From Disease
Lt. Geo. C. MacNish, Stevens Pt., Wis.
Lt. G. Warner, Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Ser. Frank A. Browne, Petersburg, Va.
Ser. Walter R. Lux, Fort Shaw, Mont.
Fireman C. Hendricks, Haver, France.
Pr. Jas. H. Ensley, Almsworth, Neb.
Pr. R. U. Nicholson, Scotts Mills, Ore.

Died of Airplane Accident
Lt. Wm. D. Robbins, Raleigh, N. C.
Lt. John C. Willford, Asheville, N. C.

Died From Accident and Other Causes
Capt. Karl H. Dauber, Benicia, Cal.
Ser. Arnold A. J. Peterson, Beloit, Wis.
Corp. Guy M. Cox, Denison, Tex.
Cook. H. E. Hollingsworth, La Harpe, Kas.

(New England names in the remainder of the list follow):

Wounded Severely
Pr. F. J. Blanchard, So. Manchester, Conn.

Wounded Slightly
Pr. J. L. Eastland, Pittsfield, Mass.

MR. KENNEDY HONORED

A pleasant surprise was given a few evenings ago, when Mr. Frederick J. Kennedy of 166 Shaw street, who has since left Lowell for Camp Dix, was called on by his friends and presented many farewell gifts. These included a traveling bag, leather military kit, gold mounted fountain pen, a gold-mounted cigar case and many other articles which will be useful in his military life.

His brother, Corp. Frank J. Kennedy of Camp Devens, was present during the evening. Mr. Kennedy's friends all joined in wishing him the best of luck.

He was also the recipient of the well wishes of his employers upon terminating his services at the Pillsbury Shoe shop, after which his shop-mates presented him a valuable wrist watch.

GERMANY'S CLAIM FOR INDEMNITY FROM RUSSIA 7,000,000,000 ROUBLES

PARIS, July 12.—(Havas Agency) Germany's claim for indemnity from Russia amounts to 7,000,000,000 roubles, according to a report printed in the Berlin Vossische Zeitung of the work done by the mixed commission named to take up consideration of

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the oil that crowds out friction and seals in power

Standard Oil Co. of New York

TO CONTROL DRUG TRADE

Conspiracy Charged Against the National Wholesale Druggists' Association

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Conspiracy with the purpose and effect of stifling competition in the wholesale drug trade was charged by the federal trade commission in a complaint today

against the National Wholesale Druggists' association, the Title Guaranty Trust Co. of New York, the organization's treasurer, and numerous individuals including the officers. Verbal and written notices are alleged to have been given the manufacturers that certain customers or prospective customers were not entitled to recognition as legitimate jobbers, according to the association's definition. Other means said to have been used were the appointment of committees to confer with manufacturers or owners for the purpose of influencing them to adopt sales methods in harmony with the policies of the National Wholesale Druggists' association; written and verbal notices

given by the secretary of the association to manufacturers that competitors not members of the association were selling below the net price named by manufacturers for re-sale; the compilation and distribution among manufacturers and wholesalers of lists of "legitimate" jobbers, and influence on various local associations of drug jobbers and wholesalers to adopt policies in harmony with the policies of the national association.

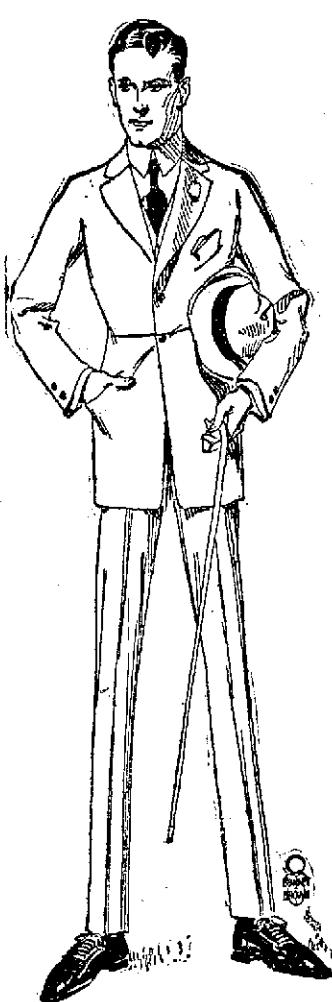
Charles E. Bodwell, Omaha, Neb., is president of the association; Clarence E. Hope of Boston is one of the vice presidents; F. E. Holliday of New York is secretary. The board of control also named in the complaint includes R. A. Jackson of Providence, R. I. The committee on proprietary goods likewise was named.

Mrs. Norrat of Houston, Texas, writes: "I would not be without Dr. True's Elixir in my home." There is no better Laxative than Dr. True's Elixir, which has been prescribed by the medical profession for over 60 years. At all dealers, 40c, 60c, \$1.00. For further information write Dr. J. F. True & Co., Auburn, Me.

LOWELL — LAWRENCE — BRIDGEPORT — HARTFORD — BALTIMORE

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO CHESTER'S Clearance Sale

Held Only Once a Year



EACH DAY BRINGS LARGER CROWDS! Satisfied customers have spread the good news around, and our suits are selling so fast that we will again live up to our reputation of "NO CLOTHING CARRIED FROM ONE SEASON TO ANOTHER."

CHESTER CLOTHES at their original prices of \$15 and \$20 are sold DIRECT TO YOU, less the middleman's profit. That's why you save \$5.00 to \$10.00.

NOW is YOUR opportunity to buy these same clothes at a GREATER SAVING.

\$15

SUITS

REGULAR \$20
VALUES

\$12.50

\$20

SUITS

REGULAR \$25
VALUES

\$17.50

We have just received four (4) large shipments of our new Fall line; among them are fine woven 16-ounce heavy weight blue serge suits, satin lined (the lining itself is guaranteed in writing to wear for two seasons.) ALSO heavy weight worsted suits, the woollens made by Wm. Wood of Philadelphia, recognized as the finest worsteds in the world.

THIS NEW FALL LINE WILL BE INCLUDED IN THIS CLEARANCE SALE AT THE ABOVE REDUCED PRICES

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Sale

Newark Men's Outing Shoes

Begins Tomorrow Morning

TOMORROW morning a great sale of Newark White and Palm Beach Canvas Oxfords begins in our stores.

These summery cool and comfortable Oxfords will go into this sale at the one flat price of \$1.85.

They are made of Sea Island White with leather or "NU-TEX" fibre soles and heels, also in leather soles and heels, and are the very essence of smartness and beauty. \$1.85 is what you save by coming for a pair quickly.

Ask For Nos. 52, 53, 54 and 55

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No matter how nervous you are or how sensitive your teeth may be, come in and let me prove the above statement.

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A small per cent over the cost of material is my answer to the ordinary dentist's big prices and get all you can afford.

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MILITARY DANCE AT THE KASINO

Lowell members of the 5th company, Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, and several hundred of their friends gathered at the Kasino in Thorndike street last evening and staged one of the most enjoyable military dances seen here in all the long series of similar affairs to which the city has been treated since activities first started "up there."

The Depot Brigade band of 50 pieces furnished music for the evening and the crowd more than enjoyed it. Owing to the fact that many of the soldiers present are soon to go overseas, the affair had more than usual significance and everybody tried to make the evening as merry as possible.

Private James Roane of this city and Private Satz entertained during the evening with songs and were well received. A shirtwaist was awarded to a young lady holding a "hockey number" ticket but she refused to divulge her name. A substantial amount for the company fund was realized as a result of the dance.

The officers of the company are: Capt. Charles Otis Ashton, Lieut. Harold T. Stillwell, Lieut. Horace C. Nowlin, Lieut. Charles W. Hanes, Lieut. Henry F. Pesch, Lieut. Frederick C. Warnock.

The officers of the dance were: Floor director, Norman A. Ray; aids, Joseph D. Doolittle, Julius R. Baldwin, August H. Gryzwacz, Reginald E. Cox.

GO BAREFOOTED

Warning Issued by German Clothing Department

LONDON, July 12.—"We warn you to go barefooted," is a notice to the Berlin public published by the German clothing department, as quoted in an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Amsterdam yesterday.

"We notice," continued the warning, "that recently many persons have been going about shoeless and stockingless. This is a holy example which everyone must follow. Unless our stocks of wool are to go to waste the practice must become increasingly popular; otherwise compulsion will be resorted to."

The newspapers, adds the message, recommend to school children and students not to wear rubber boots but to set the example of going barefooted.

SOLDIER ARRESTED FOR BREAKING AND ENTERING AND LARCENY IN SALOON

One soldier has been arrested and sent back to Camp Devens and the police are looking for another private from the camp in connection with the larceny of bottles of whiskey and money from the saloon of Baucher & Traversy at the corner of Alken street and Lakeview avenue.

The theft was committed some time during Tuesday night, the thieves gaining an entrance into the place by forcing a rear window. Twelve or fourteen bottles of the best brand of whiskey were taken away, while the cash drawers were rifled of their contents, \$15.

FUEL CONSERVATION CONFERENCE

Plans are being made to hold a fuel conservation conference at city hall next Wednesday morning under the direction of the university extension department of the state board of education. This department has arranged a series of lectures extending over several months on the matter of conservation in power plants and capable speakers have been secured to dwell on various phases of the matter.

All the plans are more or less in an embryo state locally, it is understood that a lecture will be given Wednesday morning and Wednesday afternoon a practical demonstration will be given in one of the local plants.

STUFF TO LOSE SLEEP OVER



HENRY FORD LAUNCHES**FIRST "EAGLE"**

DETROIT, Mich., July 12.—With-out any demonstration and with less than half a hundred spectators outside of the employes of the company, Eagle-1, first of the submarine chasers to be built by Henry Ford, was dropped into the water at the River Rouge plant yesterday afternoon.

"Dropped into the water," is literally correct, for that is exactly what will happen to each one of the Eagles as fast as they are built. For several days the shipbuilding plant had

been making ready for the launching of the first of the 225-foot craft.

There was no christening ceremony of any sort and for all the fuss that was made over the event at the yard it might have as well been the launching of the one-thousandth Eagle as that of the very first one.

Henry Ford, accompanied by Edsel B. Ford, and a few other executives of the Ford Motor company, arrived at the shipbuilding plant just as the launching started, but all the others present took the history-making event much as a matter of every day occurrence.

But to persons who for years had been witness of launchings of vessels in Detroit and elsewhere the event was far different. It was an event extraordinary, one never to be forgotten.

Twelve Eagles nearing completion will be launched in the next two or three days. In two weeks one Eagle will glide from the dry dock each day. There are 700 sailors encamped near the Eagle plant, and these will be placed on the boats as fast as they are floated. Present plans are to have an Eagle, manned by United States sailors, start daily on its journey to the Atlantic ocean.

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For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of

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TWO MILLION MEN

Total British Fighting Forces

Now in France Equal

Number There in 1917

PARIS, July 12.—The British fighting forces in France now aggregate two million men, says the Havas correspondent on the British front. This equals the number on the front in 1917.

ECKMAN'S
Calcerbs
EASY-TAKE TABLETS

FOR THROAT AND LUNGS

A Calcium compound that will bring relief in many acute and chronic cases. Provides in handy form, a basic remedy highly recommended by science. Contains no harmful drugs. Try them today.

50 cents a box, including war tax

For sale by all druggists
Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia

CHARGE BY BORGLUM

Intimate Death of Major

Mitchel Due to a Defec-

tive Airplane

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, who made an investigation of the American aircraft program at the request of President Wilson, in an open letter read last night at a meeting here of the American Inventors' association, discredited the theory that the accident which caused the death of Major John Purroy Mitchel was the result of failure of the aviator to fasten himself in his plane. Borglum intimated that the accident was the result of defective plane.

American training planes showed a greater casualty list than those of any other nation, he stated. He charged that one of the airplanes recently sent abroad caused the death of an aviator in much the same manner as Major Mitchel was killed.

TO STOP PROFITEERING

BY WOODMEN

BOSTON, July 12.—Price-fixing is threatened by Chairman David A. Ellis of the Boston fuel committee if dealers attempt to profiteer on the demand for fire wood occasioned by the "no-coal-for-heating-till-Dec. 1" order.

"We can regulate the price of wood as well as the price of coal—and that will probably come," he declared yesterday. The order is going to stand until December 1 at all events, Chairman Ellis indicated. "The fuel committee issued the order only after long and careful consideration," he said, "and I don't believe there will be any modifications."

This statement was the answer to the protests which had begun to pour in. Mr. Ellis said the complaints came almost wholly from the wealthy residents of the Back Bay and others who run their big furnaces full blast all the time to take the chill off their 20-odd rooms. It is these, Chairman

Ellis asserted, who are the greatest wasters of coal.

The state fuel bureau declares that there is plenty of wood in Boston easily available. To plan activities to make certain that sufficient wood will be available, Councilor James A. Watson as chairman, has called an emergency meeting Monday afternoon of the city council committee on municipal purchases of the necessities of

life. The committee will meet at 2.30 in the council chamber. Mayor Peters and Fuel Administrator Storow are under special invitation to be in attendance.

The Chinese government will reopen a pottery that was built in 1693 and which is said to be the only place that has preserved the ancient ways of making porcelain of rare colors and designs.

WIRE FENCING
FARM FENCE, 45 and 49 inches high.
HOG FENCE, 36 and 42 inches high.
CHICKEN and RABBIT FENCE, 46 and 58 inches high.

BARBED WIRE TWISTED CABLE
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RICHARD CLOTHES SHOP

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT GEORGE C. LARRABEE, FORMERLY OF LARRABEE & RAWLINSON, HAS ASSUMED THE MANAGEMENT OF OUR STORE AND WILL BE THE PERMANENT RESIDENT MANAGER. HE CORDIALLY INVITES HIS FRIENDS TO CALL.

Grand Reorganization Sale

STARTED TODAY, JULY 12th

AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL ALL THE PRESENT STOCK IS SOLD

All garments must go at once to make room for new fall purchases. This stock consists only of this spring's and summer's merchandise and you have a wide variety of selection—the latest models.

These Are the Greatest Clothes Values Ever Given in Lowell

SUITS AND TOPCOATS

All Our \$15.00

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\$12.45

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All Our \$25.00

SUITS AND TOPCOATS

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\$21.45

The SUITS are made in every weave that has popular sanction. Among them are fine Scotch mixtures, tweeds, worsteds, cassimeres, serges, etc. Hundreds of new color combinations in medium and light shades, also plain colors.

The TOPCOATS are cut from fine light weight materials in gray, tan, and fancy shades; every suit and topcoat is well made and finished, and carries the famous guarantee of the RICHARD clothes shop—Merchandise exactly as represented and if a garment proves unsatisfactory, we will give a new one free.

A TIP TO THE WISE

Under present conditions, when all clothing is rapidly advancing in price, it would pay you to take advantage of this remarkable sale, even if you put aside the garment for future wear.

All Our Blues and Blacks are Included in this Sale

"A CLOTHES SHOP FOR WAR-TIME ECONOMY"

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Alterations Free

Open Monday and
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69 Central Street, Lowell, Mass.



PEACE PROPOSAL

Von Hertling Again Talks of Germany's Readiness to Receive "Sincere Offer"

Says Speeches by Wilson and Balfour Forced Germany to Continue Struggle

LONDON, July 12.—There is the closest union between the political leaders of Germany and German army headquarters regarding their readiness to receive peace proposals from the allies, if they are offered in a spirit of sincerity. This statement was made in the reichstag by Imperial Chancellor von Hertling, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen.

The program of Germany's foreign policy, the chancellor added, was laid down in Germany's reply to the papal peace note and it would be adhered to. That would be a righteous peace, he said, and Germany had not and would not change her policy, however strong the idea of destruction was expressed in speeches in allied countries.

The recent utterances of President Wilson and Foreign Secretary Balfour he continued, forced Germany to continue the struggle.

Admiral von Hinzp, the new German foreign secretary in succession to von Kuchlmann, made a blinding declaration to Count von Hertling that he was willing in every way to follow the imperial chancellor's policy.

Von Hertling told the reichstag committee that the government intended vigorously to prosecute the reforms already begun. He commented on the problems in the east and in the west and concluded with remarks on the government's future program regarding the declaration made in November, 1917, which has been accepted by a large majority in the reichstag.

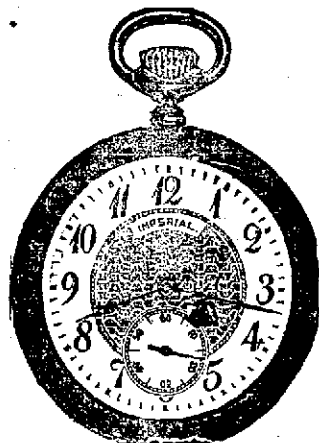
The change in the foreign minister, he said, was not caused by any real difference of opinion, but arose out of personal discussions revealing matters which should not be made public.

RUMELY WILLING

TO SUBMIT FACTS

NEW YORK, July 12.—Dr. Edward A. Rumely, formerly publisher of the

Warranted



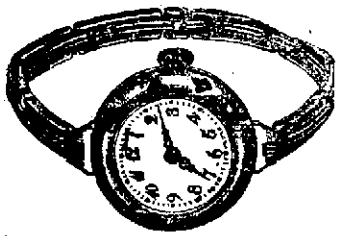
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A seven-jewel Imported Swiss Watch, with a 20-year guaranteed case, already timed and regulated for immediate use. These can be had in 16-size open face or hunting cases. Worth your while to look at them for

\$5.95

Ladies' Bracelet Watches

Genuine Imported Swiss Movements—such famous makes as Imperial, Princess, and L. G., with seven fine ruby jewels and a nickel movement, adjusted, in a guaranteed case, and bracelet with adjustable and flexible links. Must be seen to be appreciated, at the low price of—

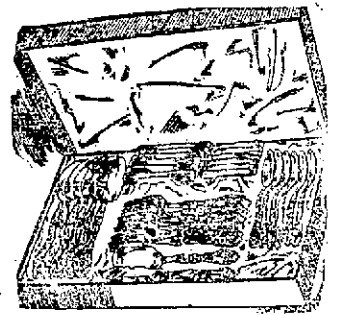


\$6.50

ROGERS' SILVER SETS

This set consists of six knives, six forks, six teaspoons, six tablespoons, butter knife and sugar shell, all in quadruple plate silver, standard quality and finish; 26 pieces in all—

\$6.95



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The woman who loves—the different—the dainty—the beauty of exquisite workmanship will have nothing but words of praise for this winsome collection of summer frocks in figured voiles, lawn, batiste and organdie. Sizes for all. Stylish stouts, included up to 56.

\$4.98 and \$6.98

Others Up to \$25.00



Wash Skirts

An unusually splendid showing of tub skirts in pique, gabardine, poplins and cords, novelty pockets and belts. Just the thing for immediate wear. You will buy two and three when you see them.

98c, \$2.98 and \$3.98

Others Up to \$16.50

REAL WAIST VALUES

For the newest and best in blouse loveliness come to this live shop, where you will find Lowell's largest and most complete Waist assortments at the lowest prices.

5000 Waists in voile, lawn and organdie, those new round neck, and slip-ons and other novelties **98c**
Dainty French Voile and China Silk **\$1.98**
Blouses at

Thousands of handsome all white Blouses in crepe de chine and georgette crepe, at **\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98**



SILK DRESSES

Wonder values! In extremely smart models, for these three days. Materials are tulle, crepe de chine, georgette crepe and charmeuse; embroidered, beaded and otherwise daintily trimmed.

\$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.50

NEW HATS

Our hats are moving quickly because of their newness and effectiveness. Hundreds of new creations for these three days at.... **\$2.98**

BATHING SUITS

\$2.98 and \$4.98

ADVANCE FALL COATS AND SUITS At Prices That Are Lower Than the Cost of the Materials.

SLIP-ON SWEATERS

Those popular waist length models with sleeves and large collars. All colors, at.... **\$3.98, \$4.98**

We make a specialty of Stylish Stouts in Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Waists.

LADIES' OUTFITTERS

THE STORE THAT IS GROWING

94 MERRIMACK ST.

45-49 MIDDLE ST.

THE STORE THAT GIVES VALUE

Evening Mail, arrested on charges of perjury in connection with the question of ownership of the newspaper which the government alleges was

bought in the interest of the German government, announced today that if the senate should make an investigation into affairs of the newspaper, he would waive immunity and place all the facts in possession of the government.

To Senator William H. King of Utah, who proposed a senatorial inquiry, he sent the following telegram: "I see by this morning's press that you propose a senate investigation and are in doubt as to my position with reference to testifying. I waive immunity and will willingly place at your disposal all facts in my possession."

WRONGFULLY DRAFTED

Controversy Between Military and Supreme Court of Alberta Reaches Climax

CALGARY, July 12.—The controversy between the military and the supreme court of Alberta as to the legality of the order of council abolishing exemptions under the military service act reached a climax today when the court appealed to the minister of justice at Ottawa to instruct Lieut. Col. Moore, commander of the Depot Battalion

DIVISION ONE MEN FOR CAMP DEVENS

The following registrants of Division 1 have been inducted into the military service and will entrain for Camp Devens during the five-day period beginning July 22:

Thomas J. Arnold, 1132 Graham.
Thos. P. Ireland, 1132 Graham.
Thos. J. McCarthy, 348 Bridge.
John J. Dooley, 15 Bowen.
Clifford E. Harvey, 1722 Bridge.
Thos. J. Brennan, 42 Hard.
Louis Dumont, 25 Clifton.
Edg. L. Woodward, Woolworth Bldg.
John F. McNulty, E. Junction, Hebronville, Mass.
Edw. W. Handt, Jr., 36 Prescott.
Geo. L. Sullivan, 55 Bartlett.
Mannol M. Silva, Jr., 8 Chipewa.
Frederick Carragher, 365 Beacon.
Walter W. Rogers, Newark, N. J.
Arthur La Rue, 286 Worthington.
John J. Griffin, 123 Centre.
Augustus W. McKee, 61 Eighteenth.
Timothy F. Harrington, 763 Central.
William J. Morgan, 522 Central.
Peter J. Cooley, 151 Centre.
Bruno Silk, 67 Nineteenth.
Jos. L. Broderick, 21 Church.
Samuel J. O'Neill, 358 Concord.
Joseph E. Garvin, 28 Spring.
Edward F. Carahan, 256 Concord.
John A. McGarry, 119 Fremont.
Thomas F. Fry, 112 First.
William J. Quinlan, 22 Concord.
Peter Lambert, 10 Dutton.
John J. Green, Jr., 3 rear 31 Bartlett.
John J. Welch, 9 Chestnut.
Alonso S. Mathison, 21 Central.
Collin H. MacKenzie, 23 Methuen.
Robert H. Dawson, 45 Methuen.
Harry M. Smith, 26 Whipple.
Archibald A. R. Campbell, 18 E. Merrimack.
Clayton M. Colby, 418 Walker.
William Dulos, 10 Webster.
Frank Deduth, 6 Davidson.
Michael J. Sullivan, 15 Bartlett.
John W. Cassin, 17 Swift.
Matthew M. Wood, 52 Fort Hill ave.
Joseph Gihnan, 655 Merrimack.
Arthur E. Conley, 123 Washington.
Daniel F. McCarthy, 15 Crowley.
Thomas F. Ryan, 41 First.
Joseph A. Tette, 112 Woburn.
Joseph Dunn, 22 Gay.
Harold S. Graves, 25 Lawrence.
William J. Brown, 27 Watson.
Edward B. Stevens, Wamesit.
James J. Kocinski, 32 Crosby.
Harry F. Tieny, 42 Seventh.
Howard J. Tuttle, 406 Bridge.
Michael J. Fitzsimmons, 61 Golden st.
New London, Conn.
Charles B. Garmon, 29 Third.
Collin McPhail, Campion, N. H.
Thos. A. Whelan, 118 Andover.
James Howard, 121 Lawrence.
Ernest Barber, 65 Worthington.
William P. Feehan, 162 Andover.
Kevork Chertavian, 8 Stanley.
John P. Tullakian, 29 Prince.
Burnell Gentner, Reading, Pa.
Henry H. Agnew, 21 E. Merrimack.
William F. O'Brien, 40 Whipple.
Peter Callahan, 220 Fayette.
Arthur J. Stanley, 10 Webster.
Dolphus Brals, 50 Cosgrove.
James A. Berghan, 15 Sixth.
Jos. Vilebeck, Kineo, Me.
Jos. P. Donahue, 151 Polmont.
Alfred Samson, Thorndike House.
Bozkaa Sarkisian, 403 Central.
Jos. A. Coutu, 234 Worthington.

ALTERNATES

Geo. M. Thompson, V.M.C.A., Lowell.
George A. Rowe, 80 Beach.
John E. Donnelly, 155 Summer.
Peter W. Moore, 135 Summer.
Edward J. Johnson, 135 Summer.
John E. Moynihan, 38 W. Fifth.
Patrick Dwyer, 39 Elliot.
Felix Balkins, 18 Howe.
John J. Cox, 7 Wachuset.
Ernest F. Pratt, 27 Olla.
Wm. J. Adams, Millinocket, Me.

here, to comply with court orders. On Wednesday the officer failed to obey a summons to appear in court with 12 men who, according to the court, had been wrongfully drafted. The court thereupon issued an order for his apprehension, but the sheriff in seeking to serve the writ was denied admission to the barracks.

The case arises out of actions brought by a number of young men who were exempted through occupa-

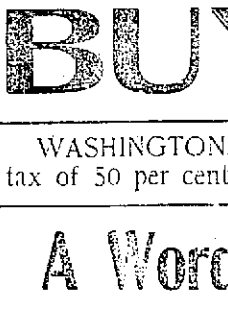
"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for women's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, ulceration, backache, sideache, headache, nervousness or "the blues" should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.



WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.—The Ways and Means Committee proposes a tax of 50 per cent. on retail prices of jewelry.

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient

This proposed law will cause the price of jewels and everything in the jewelry stores to soar 50 per cent. higher. Buy while the prices are low.

Alarm Clocks \$1.25 to \$3.00
Parlor Clocks \$4.00 to \$10.00
Kitchen Clocks \$3.00 to \$5.00
Ladies' Solid Gold Rings, \$2.50 to \$10.00
Gents' Solid Gold Rings, \$4.00 to \$15.00

WATCHES—Military Watches, \$4.50 to \$25.00
Ladies' Gold Wrist Watches, \$10.00 to \$35.00
Ladies' and Gents' Watches in large variety of prices and designs.

BUY YOUR WEDDING PRESENTS, ENGAGEMENT RINGS, CUT GLASS AND FUTURE NEEDS IN THE JEWELRY LINE NOW, WHILE THE PRICES MAKE IT POSSIBLE.

RICARD'S

110-112 CENTRAL ST.

"Money Is Plenty With Everyone at Present"

Why not spend it where you get the most for it? At Boulger's New and Up-to-Date Store for instance.

One Lot of Ladies' Vici Kid Button Boots, genuine Goodyear welts, would be cheap today at \$5.00. We are selling them for **\$3.50 a Pair**

One Lot of Ladies' Cloth Top Button Boots, genuine Goodyear welts, **\$3.00 a Pair**
If bought at today's market would cost you six dollars.



MEN'S \$6.50 ARMY SHOES
\$5.00 a Pair

Special Sale of Ladies' Comfort House Shoes, worth \$2.50, at **\$1.95**

Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes, calf or vici kid.... **\$3.00 a Pair**

Dressing for White Canvas Shoes, liquid or powder, 5c a package, worth 10c.

Boys' Sneakers, high and low, sizes 3 1/2 to 6..... **50c**

One Lot of Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords, rubber soles and heels..... **\$1.25 a Pair**

Can't be duplicated for less than two dollars.

CAST YOUR EYES INTO THE HANDSOMEST WINDOWS IN LOWELL THIS WEEK. YOU KNOW WHERE THEY ARE, OF COURSE—NICE THINGS DISPLAYED IN THEM

BOULGER'S New and Up-to-Date Store **231-233 Central Street**

BUY NOW

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RICARD'S 110-112 CENTRAL ST.

CAMP NEWS

TWO COMPANIES AT CAMP DEVENS JUST TEACH FEET TO BEHAVE

CAMP DEVENS, July 11.—"One—two—three—four!"

"Pick up those feet! Make 'em behave!"

That's all they do in two companies here, teach feet to behave. They are the two new orthopedic companies, just formed in the 1st Development Battalion, another of the entirely novel experiments being tried in the army; and Devens, as usual, is leading the way.

All companies were told to send men whose feet were so flat that the soldiers were handicapped in their drilling, to Capt. Alexander Smart's battalion, and to his surprise he found one company wouldn't hold them all.

In another company of the battalion Capt. Smart has placed the men who knew so little English that they couldn't keep up with the other rookies; and another sort of special training has had to be mapped out for that company.

Gen. Sec. Arthur Hoffmire of the Y. M. C. A. has put the educational department of his organization at Capt. Smart's disposal and special classes are being formed.

The English course in the development battalion will be of four months, with a possible two months' post-graduate course for some. In groups of from 15 to 20 men each the non-English speaking American soldiers are to be given language lessons for two and three hours daily.

There is still another company in the battalion comprising men who are "backward pupils" in squads they are given elementary training by patient officers and noncoms.

Seven Officers Leave

The whole purpose of the development battalion is to save for the army men who would otherwise have to be rejected. They will be turned out to go into any organization, or they will be given discharges when they show inability to improve.

The first officer to come out of Plattsburg, captain last fall and rise to rank of lieutenant colonel is Robert L. Whipple of the 301st Engineers, whose promotion was announced yesterday.

FOLLOWED HER DOCTOR'S ORDERS

Many rheumatic people suffer pains that could be avoided by building up the blood. When rheumatism is associated with thin blood it cannot be corrected until the blood is made rich and red.

Mrs. Peter Fitzner of 10 Holt street, North Billerica, Mass., used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to combat the effects of rheumatism accompanied by attacks of indigestion. This is her experience.

"I was living in Nova Scotia some years ago and contracted a severe cold. The next day I was confined to bed. Sharp pains started in my right shoulder and nearly drove me mad. They worked down to my right knee which was stiff and sore, and went to my hands. I could not sleep and was in terrible pain all the time. My knee was swollen.

"My stomach was affected and I would have terrible pains after eating. Gas would form and I would have smothering sensations and could eat but little. I was very nervous. My doctor advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and as I had heard of a boy who had St. Vitus' dance and had been benefited by these pills I was encouraged to try them. After I had taken three boxes I was much better, the pains in my shoulder and limbs were not so intense. I took several more boxes and the pains left me. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills certainly built up my blood and restored my strength."

A valuable booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," containing much information about rheumatism is free on request. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50 by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

terday, Lieut. Col. Whipple was a Worcester contractor, who built about 30 bridges for the state highway commission and did much work for the New England Power company.

He is a son of the late Maj. R. A. Whipple of Adams, who commanded a battalion of the old 2nd Massachusetts, now the 10th Infantry, in the Spanish-American war; and Lieut. Col. Whipple's brother George was killed at Santiago while serving in his father's battalion.

Lieut. Col. Whipple is 35 years old and a University of Vermont graduate. He received his majority in April. His work in lecturing and in constructing a system of trenches in Sill River caught the attention of Col. F. A. Pope and division headquarters.

Maj. Ralph Lowell and six other officers of the Depot Brigade were yesterday ordered to Camp Lee, Va., as instructors at the Central Infantry Officers' Training camp there. They are Capt. Joseph Sidgwick, who was adjutant at the officers' training camp here; Capt. Howard A. Judy, Capt. W. Van V. Warren, Capt. Paul A. Merriam, Capt. Robert J. Koshland and Lieut. Harold S. Tuck.

New Building For K. of C. They will be welcomed at Lee by Lieut. Col. Moor N. Falls, formerly commanding the officers' camp here, and Lieut. Col. J. B. Kemper, formerly adjutant of the Devens Depot Brigade.

Col. Byrnes, just assigned to the Depot Brigade here, reported yesterday. He enlisted in the regular army in 1894, worked up through the ranks to a captaincy and retired. Since the war he came back into the service with his present rank and has been assigned to Norwich university.

The Knights of Columbus are to have a new building in camp, costing nearly \$7000, it was announced yesterday by Sec. Arthur Cooper. It will be located in the Depot Brigade area.

Thirty draft evaders were brought in from Boston yesterday afternoon, most of them men of foreign extraction who had failed to fill out questionnaires.

Soon we shall hear of the Devens Press club, a soldiers' affair. Company Clerk Stuart C. Maguire and John W. Hammond, editor of Trench and Camp, are calling a meeting of all men in the ranks who would like to turn over news for a camp publication, and a lively sheet it promises to be.

WOMAN WHO WENT OVERSEAS DISGUISED AS SOLDIER, DIES AT LORDBURG, N. M.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., July 12.—Mrs. Hazel Carter, who last fall went in an infantry regiment from Douglas to France, disguised as a soldier, died at Lordburg, N. M., yesterday. Her husband, a corporal in the regiment, is still in France. Her identity and sex were discovered shortly before the ship bearing the troops reached its destination, and she was sent back to the United States.

MEDAL TO LOWELL MAN KILLED IN WAR

PARIS, July 11.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The Aero club of America, through its foreign service committee here, has awarded the medal of the organization to 33 aviators representing the United States, France, Great Britain, Italy and Belgium. The medal is of gold, elaborately engraved, and measures almost three inches in width.

The aviators receiving the honor follow:

United States—Major Raoul Lufbery, killed; L. Norman Barclay, killed; Julian C. Biddle, killed; Andrew C. Campbell, killed; Oliver M. Chadwick, killed; Victor Chapman, killed; Edmund C. Genet, killed; Ronald Hoskier, killed; James McConnell, killed; Douglas McDonagie, killed; Norman Prince, killed; Kiffin Y. Rockwell, killed; Corporal S. Walcott, killed; and Major William Thaw.

France—Captain Guynemer, killed; Lieut. Deime, killed; Adjutant Lenoir, killed; Lieut. Chaput, killed; Lieut. Sugesser, killed; Lieut. Garros, killed; Fonck, Captain Herteaux, killed; Madon, Captain Deslille, Captain Pinsard and Sub-Lieut. Guerin.

Great Britain—Captain Albert Ball, killed; Captain Fletcher Philip Furland and Major William A. Bishop.

Italy—Lieut. Baracca, killed; Sub-Lieut. Olivari and Major Piccolo.

Belgium—Lieut. Thieffry.

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FLAG AT HALF-MAST FOR WAR HERO

President William M. Wood, of the American Woolen company upon learning that Ernest Russell, killed in action in France, was a former employee of the Washington mills in Lawrence, directed that the flag on the mill be placed at half-staff as a tribute of honor and grief upon the part of the workers and the company.

Mr. Wood also announced that the practice of honoring former soldier-employees hereafter would be followed in all the 55 mills of the company.

"We will follow this rule for the duration of the war," said Mr. Wood, "as an evidence of sorrow and as an appreciation of their sacrifice by those of us behind them in the industrial trenches to whom the privilege of fighting on the front lines has been denied up to the present."

"I know that our workers will help out the mill executives in this matter and, in the event that the folks of the mill should not know of this new practice, we hope that the fallen hero's mill mates will notify the office of the agent in the unfortunate event of such a death."

REVOLUTIONISTS ARE MARCHING ON MOSCOW

PARIS, July 12 (Glasgow Agency)—M. Tchermoff, a leader of the Russian social revolutionists, is marching on Moscow at the head of numerous bands of unarmed peasants, says a despatch from Stockholm to the Matin. Part of his force has arrived in the outskirts of the Bolshevik capital.

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Cotton Dress Sale

7.50

Value to 15.00

Unusual at this price. They include voiles, gingham and organdies, in a wonderful variety of styles and colorings.

9.98

Value to 18.50

Most extraordinary are these dainty voiles and organdies at this price. You won't find their equal anywhere in town.

Sale of Wool and Silk Skirts

5.95 7.50 9.75

Value to 9.98

Value to 15.00

Value to 25.00

Materials such as these we shall not be able to get again. Included are extra heavy quality silk in box pleated and plain models. All sizes and colors.

Wash Skirts

1.95

2.95

3.95

Value 2.95 to 5.95

Unequaled anywhere are these fine quality gabardine, pique and fancy weave skirts. All sizes, 24 to 36 waist.

Sweaters

5.75

9.75

Value 9.98 to 12.50

Value 15.00 to 18.50

Unheard of sweater values. Fine quality wool and fibre sweaters, in all colors and color combinations.

Silk Dresses

15.00

18.50

25.00

Value 22.50 to 49.50

Beautiful taffeta, georgette and crepe de chine dresses, many beaded or embroidered. Unusual values.

Waists

79c,

98c,

1.98,

2.85,

5.00

Values 98c to 8.50

Exceptional waist values in both cotton and silk. Most of them made to sell much higher.

Great July Clearance Sale of Our Entire Stock of Girls' and Misses' Apparel

GIRLS' 1.98 WASHABLE DRESSES in new gingham and chambrays, sizes 6 to 12. Clearance Price 1.00

GIRLS' 1.69 WHITE PLEATED SKIRTS, sizes 6 to 14, 1.00

GIRLS' 3.00 SUMMER DRESSES, sizes 2 to 14..... 1.98

GIRLS' SWEATERS in slip-on and coat models, reduced to

3.98 and 4.49

FINAL REDUCTIONS IN GIRLS' COATS

\$5.98 values

10.00 values

15.00 values

3.98

5.98

9.98

MISSSES' 12.98 SILK TAFFETA DRESSES in high waisted models 8.98

GIRLS' and MISSSES' REGULATION MIDDLES, 1.05 to 1.98

GIRLS' 12.98 SAMPLE SILK DRESSES 7.50

GIRLS' and JUNIORS' FINE WHITE ORGANDIE FROCKS, high waist effects, prettily trimmed, reduced to 3.98

MID-SEASON

Mark Down Sale

Of

Choice Millinery

We have a very special assortment of hats in the most wanted styles, to sell at a sacrifice, in order to make room for our exclusive fall stock. Flower Trimmed Hats, Ribbon and Georgette Hats, Small Sport Hats.

Prices—

\$8.98 and \$9.98, now ... \$5.98

\$6.98 and \$7.98, now ... \$4.98

Also a Lot of 150 Trimmed Hats at the very low price of 98c

THE FASHION

115 MERRIMACK STREET

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INTERESTING LETTERS FROM LOWELL SOLDIERS IN THE WAR ZONE

Two snappy letters from Lowell boys serving in the trenches, filled with intimate gossip of the front and written in the optimistic style of men who can see fun even in the most hazardous of occupations, have been received at this office and are reproduced below.

The first is from Private Frank E. Kenney, a former Lowell boy, who is serving in France with a regular army unit:

"Somewhere in France," June 21, 1918.

Editor, Lowell Sun.

Dear Sir:—I presume it will not surprise you to hear from someone over here. Judging by the letters that appear in your columns from time to time from boys representing Lowell at the front, I have been over here a long time and although I love the United States more and more every day, still, I would not wish to go back there for anything. The more I see of France and the effects of German shells, the more I wish to stay and be in on the crushing of the Kaiser and his minions.

in all directions, he acquires a wholesome respect for it.

I have been "fortunate" enough to participate in two raiding excursions and believe me it was "some" exciting. I should like to go into more explicit details in regard to these parties, but it is absolutely forbidden to divulge the outcome of such an endeavor.

How is everything in Lowell? It has been some time since I have been in that little old town but, believe me, I hold a large spot in my heart for her. Before coming over here, I had been over a considerable portion of the United States, Canada and Mexico, but have been nowhere that could compare with Lowell. At the present time we are located in rest billets in a small village just behind the lines.

We do not know how long we will be here but expect to return to the front almost any day or night.

Regards to all the people in Lowell and here's trusting that you will be able to use this letter.

Yours sincerely,
FRANK E. KENNEY.

Private Mullarkey

The second letter comes from Private E. J. Mullarkey of the headquarters company of the 101st regiment and reads as follows:

June 18, 1918.

Dear Sir:—Receiving your papers and being a Lowellite myself, I take the privilege of writing to you these few lines, hoping that you will print them in the near future just to let our friends and loved ones at home know that we have not yet answered the final call.

these diggings so he is picking on Fritz for exercises.

Having received some of your papers, I see where Lowell went over the top in the loan drive. Keep it up, Lowell, we are all with you. Though we are up in the lines we still get some music. Our latest song is "When the Flowers Bloom in No Man's Land."

What a Wonderful Day That Will Be." Billy Quinn has the words and music and he is going to send it later.

Jack Ganley is with us. It is a great saying in the army: one soldier, one bunk; but Ganley doesn't think so. He puts Sullivan to the wall every night. All that worries Sully is that someone else will be there while he is gone.

All the boys want to know if writing material has gone up as mail is very scarce in camp. I am writing this by candle light as our electric lights were put out of commission. There was great excitement this evening while the boys were scolding Fritz sent over a few kisses and you should have seen the boys scatter. We have the French beaten to a frazzle when it comes to ducking.

It is rumored that we are to be relieved shortly and we'll try to get our pictures taken and send them to you. Tomorrow will be a big day for "Mull" when he will have about 2000 dough-

nuts to make. Best regards to you and all at home.

Privates JOSEPH SULLIVAN, JOHN GANLEY, ERNEST BROWN, CHARLES BUK, BILLY QUINN, E. J. MULLARKEY.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

NIGHT OPERATOR—ALL IN

Vinol Made Him Feel Better, Look Better, Sleep Better

Springfield, Mass.—"I am a night operator—was all run-down, couldn't sleep, had no ambition—I had tried blood and nerve tonics without help—and thought I would try Vinol and I must say it has built me up so I feel better, look better and sleep better."—Charles T. Harder.

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mr. Harder's case, is because it contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates, the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run-down system, make rich, red blood and create strength.

Liggett's Pharmacy, Routhier & DeHise, Props., Falls & Burkinshaw, F. J. Campbell, and druggists everywhere.

—Adv.

C. H. HANSON & CO., Inc.

ROCK STREET

The Home of Kelly Springfield Tires

Guaranteed 6000 to 7500 Miles.

THE NEW KELLY CORD TIRE IS A WINNER
Kant Slip, Driving and Cord Tires, all sizes.
COMMERCIAL BODIES FOR FORD CHASSIS

FOOD CONTROL

Will Continue in England
After Ending of Hostilities,
Says Clynes

Tribute to American "Spirit
of Patriotism"—Will Wel-
come Hoover

LONDON, July 12.—Food control in England probably will continue for at least a short while after the ending of hostilities, according to John R. Clynes, the new head of the food ministry. Discussing this subject, with the Daily Telegraph, he said:

"Whether the food ministry will be continued after the war depends on how long the war lasts, but it is clear the conditions created will not suddenly disappear when it is ended and for a considerable time the allied nations will be required to act in co-operation both as regards supplies and prices until normal conditions reappear. People of this country have little idea of our indebtedness to America and the colonies for the abundance and regularity of our food supplies. Conditions of transportation have improved enormously."

He paid tribute to the American "spirit of patriotism" which had been willing to undergo sacrifices in order to feed England. He said he would welcome H. C. Hoover, the American food administrator, who is expected in England shortly.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.

Automobile Insurance, fire, theft and liability. Dan J. O'Brien, Wyman's Ex.

Mr. John J. Foye and Mr. Daniel J. Foye of the Park hotel are attending the Elks' convention at Atlantic City.

Mr. John Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Marshall of 14 London street, was presented a handsome leather bag by his father in behalf of the family at the close of the evening meal yesterday. John left Lowell this morning for Boston, where he will be forwarded to the Radio school to complete his training. Before leaving this morning the young man made his mother a present of a Liberty bond.

CHOLERA SPREADING
IN PETROGRAD

LONDON, July 12.—Owing to the grave shortage in food, cholera is on the increase in Petrograd and hundreds of persons are daily falling victims to it, says a Russian wireless despatch received today.

AMUSEMENT / NOTES

Note—Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"A Desert Wedding," with beautiful Enid Bennett in the principal character, is the engrossing picture being shown at the B. F. Keith theatre, the final half of the present week. It is a brand new release, and it shows this capable artist in one of the best roles of her career. Jack Holt as the masterly husband is also right up to the level of the star in the work of capably presenting this play. Imagine a doctor shooting a man, and then being compelled to minister to that man, and quite forgetting his feelings as a disappointed lover gets his nerve together and pulled the wounded man through. That's one of the unusual situations of this very interesting photo-drama. The action takes place at a perfectly wonderful ranch somewhere in the west. The scenery is far above what is ordinarily shown, and the ranch buildings are marvelous. Nothing quite so good has been shown in pictures in a long time. The long cast shows evidence of being very carefully chosen. The second feature which shows Japan and the United States—the Orient and the Occident—is "Who is to Blame?" and it is a pretty little romance with Jack Livingston in the role of the husband who didn't like to be left alone. The Hearst-Pathé News is crammed with current views.

THE STRAND

"The Yellow Ticket," one of the most absorbing and thrilling film dramas ever presented on a local screen, is winning genuine favor with the patrons of The Strand. If you haven't seen it, be sure and make arrangements for visiting the theatre before the week-end. Then there are the Leo children in one of their most amusing comedy dramas, "We Should Worry." You will chuckle all over at this pair. Their antics are laughable, while the story of the film is interesting from first to last. The Hearst-Pathé Weekly and a new comedy contributes to the pleasure of the bill. Don't forget that there are 500 ten cent seats on sale at all performances.

LAKEVIEW PARK

Lakeview park showed something the circus didn't, yesterday, trained bears, and five performances will be given the rest of the week, afternoon



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Pure Castile Soap	5c	Marrow Squash, can	17c	Pure Cocoa, lb.	20c
California Beans, lb.	12c	Baking Powder (1 lb. can)	14c	Orange Marmalade (home made)	17c
Yellow Eye Beans, lb.	12 1/2c	Toasted Corn Flakes	9c	Strawberry and Raspberry Jelly	39c
Powdered Borax (20-Mule-Team)	11c	Granulated Corn Meal (white or yellow)	5 lbs. 23c		
Sunlight Soap	5c	Large Plums (in syrup)	14c		
		Table Butterine (cut from tub)	25c		

HONORABLE DISCHARGE

Private Matthew F. Wholey of this city has been discharged from Camp Devens, where he had been stationed since last fall, on account of physical disability. He has received an honorable discharge from the service.

DEATHS

BOWLES—Donald Wallace, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bowles, aged 2 years and 1 day, died today at the home of his parents, 966 Middlesex street.

BREASON—Mrs. Hannah M. Breason, widow of Philip, died yesterday at the Chelmsford Street hospital, at the age of 65 years. The deceased was a member of the Holy Family sodality of St. Patrick's church. She leaves a nephew, Albert Warren. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

OSGOOD—Mrs. Carrie M. Osgood, wife of Daniel L., died Wednesday at West Burke, Vt. She leaves one son, Harold N., at Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. A. M. Foster of Dorchester, and Mrs. W. A. King of Concord, N. H., and one brother, M. P. Ranger of Lowell.

SCANLON—Martin Scanlon, aged 5

months, 9 days, beloved infant son of John and Nellie Riley Scanlon, died this morning at the home of his parents, 8 McGovern's court, Lakeview av.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

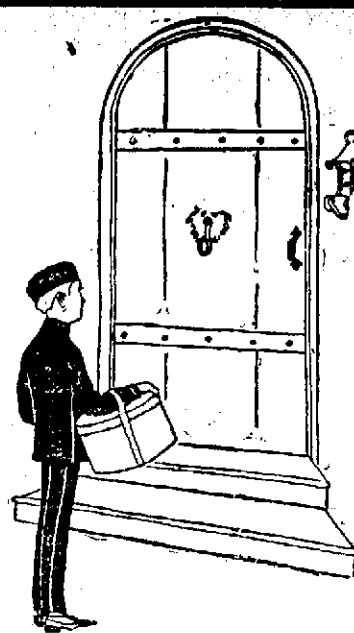
SHEA—Virginia M. Shea, aged 1 year and daughter of James T. and Mary T. Shea, died last night at the home of her parents, 439 Varum avenue.

SNOW—Mrs. Frances L. Snow died yesterday at her home, 11 Livermore street, at the age of 64 years. She leaves her husband, Frank F. Snow; one sister, Mrs. Emma Hession of Nashua; three brothers, William Fallon of Ohio, Fred and Charles of New York; also one niece. She was a member of Worthen Street Methodist church.

FUNERALS

ALDRICH—The funeral of Mrs. Annie M. Aldrich, wife of Sidney T., was held from her home yesterday afternoon. The services were performed by Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. H. E. Symonds and Harry C. Needham. The bearers were: Herman DeCatur, Thomas Bridges, Alden Maitland, and William Webb. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

BRADLEY—The funeral of James F. Bradley took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 36 Haines av., and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Lawrence Tigue, O.M.I. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were William Nelson, Joseph Garrity, Patrick Sexton

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and Dominick Meehan representing Division 11, A.O.H., and Michael J. Dineen and John Hastings. The burial was in St. Bernard's cemetery, Fitchburg.

At the grave Rev. Fr. Donovan read the committal prayers and the arrangements were in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

COUPE—The funeral of Catherine Coupe took place this morning from her late home, 207 Worthen street at 8:15 o'clock and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Curtin. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were George Coupe, James Fitzgerald, Joseph Coupe, Geo. Coupe, Jr., Paul O'Neill and Leo O'Neill. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, Rev. Joseph Curtin reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge of funeral arrangements.

In attendance at the funeral were the following out-of-town people: Mr. and Mrs. J. George Coupe and family, New York; Mr. James Fitzgerald of Everett; Mr. and Mrs. John Dee and family of Concord; Mrs. Annie O'Brien, Fall River; Miss Alice Fowler of Providence; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fowler,

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the many friends, relatives and neighbors who, by their words of condolence, assisted me in my hour of bereavement at the death of my wife, Annie M. Aldrich. I also wish to extend my thanks to all those who sent floral offerings and can assure them their kindness shall never be forgotten.

MR. SIDNEY T. ALDRICH.

MASS NOTICE

There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem at 8 o'clock Monday, July 15, at the Immaculate Conception church for the repose of the soul of the late Charlie Dugan.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

BREASON—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah M. Breason will take place Saturday morning from the rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage at 8:15 o'clock. A high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

DOLAN—The funeral of John J. Dolan will take place Saturday morning from his late home, 20 Chambers st. at 8 o'clock. At St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Sons.

SHEA—The funeral of Virginia M. Shea will take place this afternoon from the home of her parents, James E. and Mary E. Shea, 439 Varum avenue, at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under direction of P. H. Savage, undertaker.

OSGOOD—Died in West Burke, Vt. July 10. Mrs. Carrie M. Osgood. Funeral services will be held at her home, 151 Cabot street, Lowell, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Funeral private. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

SNOW—Died in this city July 11, at her home, 11 Livermore street, Mrs. Frances L. Snow, aged 64 years, 7 days. Funeral services will be held from her home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. Please omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mildred M. Sullivan will take place Saturday morning from her home, 37 Madison street at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's church at 9:45 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League
Boston 4, Chicago 0.
Cleveland 1, New York 0.
Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 5.
Detroit 5, Washington 5.

National League
Chicago 4, Boston 3; first game, 10 innings.
Chicago 3, Boston 2; second game.
Pittsburg 5, New York 4.
Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 3.
Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 2.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	46	22	.680
Cleveland	45	26	.636
New York	44	24	.647
Washington	40	28	.591
Chicago	37	29	.562
St. Louis	37	30	.554
Detroit	31	44	.413
Philadelphia	30	45	.400
National	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	52	23	.693
New York	46	28	.622
Pittsburg	37	36	.507
Philadelphia	34	37	.479
Boston	33	42	.440
Cincinnati	31	40	.438
Brooklyn	30	42	.417
St. Louis	30	45	.400

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What with the increases in wages voluntary and otherwise and many other unusual municipal expenditures, the tax-rate will undoubtedly bound upward this year and the result will be another increase of rents. When that time comes perhaps it will not be quite so popular to pose as a champion wage-raiser at city hall.

The local street railway is now keeping on schedule time on lines on which before the increase of fare, it was considered impossible. The ease with which this is done now has led some patrons to wonder why it was not done before.

CITY CHARTER
So the controversy over the new charter is to be aired in court. There are legal points involved which may be well to have cleared up in the interest of the general public. If Plan B is not given a place on the ballot, the best method of securing a change from the present charter would be to have an organization formed to ask the legislature to make certain modifications on Plan B for adoption by the city of Lowell. Plan C is very generally regarded as wholly unsuitable for our local needs.

LAKE'S SUBMARINE
Simon Lake, the inventor of a merchant submarine, urges the government to build a number of ships which can sail under water in case of danger. He claims there is no way of effectually combating the submarines except by other submarines such as he has designed. He offers his services gratis to the government in supervising the construction of such vessels. It would be well to have a few such submarines; and with that end in view it is desirable to test the merits of Mr. Lake's invention. If it is all he says it is, it should be utilized.

TRIBUTE TO WILSON
That was a notable speech made by former Premier Asquith at the banquet of the Liberal club in London on Wednesday night. He paid a glowing tribute to President Wilson for having "taken the greatest decision of the age in which he carried the people with him and justified his course in state papers worthy to live side by side with the most inspiring utterance of his most famous predecessors." Mr. Asquith laid great stress upon President Wilson's plea for a league of nations after the war to enforce peace, stating that it is one in which Great Britain can heartily join.

The statement of Admiral Sims to the effect that the "submarine menace has been overcome as we are destroying them faster than the Germans can build them" was nothing new, but coming from Admiral Sims it can be relied upon as correct.

FOOD LAW PENALTIES
Thus far the food administration has imposed 500 penalties for violation of the food laws, 150 of these carrying suspension of the dealers' license to do business. It is too bad to have so many put in the light of opposing the government in its efforts to prosecute the war to a success, but it has all resulted from one of two things, either a desire to make unwarranted profits, or taking a blind chance in ignorance of the law. Large houses are very closely watched and cannot afford to violate the regulations by charging excessive prices, but many of the small dealers are not so particular. They know the government does not pay so much attention to them, but if any of them be reported for violating the law, they will be dealt with just as rigorously as if they were engaged in larger transactions.

THE CORNMEAL MENU
Politics may make strange bed-fellows, but, believe us, war produces unusual appetites.
Before the war our neighbor to the north didn't grow enough corn for chicken feed, and ate no corn beyond the roasting ears. The Canadian appetite wouldn't adjust itself to Yankee cornmeal and corn bread, they said. But now, something has happened to that appetite-war!
Canada is going on a corn ration. Canada wants to save more of her several hundred million bushels of wheat crop this fall for her allies and others who must have wheat to eat or starve.
And so she is going to sit right down with the U. S. A. to breakfasts of cornmeal mush and corn cakes. When she develops a taste for corn, her farmers will redouble their efforts to produce corn which will grow in more flourishing manner in the short summers of Alberta and Saskatchewan. That will increase Canada's meat crop and the fertility of her fields.

GENERAL CROWDER'S EXAMPLE
General Crowder declines the offer of appointment as lieutenant-general, saying in effect that he is but one of many Americans who helped to make the selective draft a success. Many of these he says are working without pay and others for a mere fraction of what their services are worth. The general says there are 15,000 men in the United States who have worked with him and without whom his work would be futile. Outside this circle of draft board members, he says there are other thousands of helpers who

SEEN AND HEARD
A fellow is more liable to stick to his colors if the colors don't run.
Inconsistent
Witness—He looked me straight in the eye and—
Lawyer—There, sir, you've flatly contradicted your former statement.
"How so?"
"You said before that he bent his gaze on you. Well you please explain now he could look you straight in the eye with a bent gaze?"—London Tit-Bits.
Well, What is It Anyway?
One chap in a local business house is much given to pondering over problems he never satisfactorily settles. It used to be the puzzling question as to why a south pole explorer should freeze to death, when everybody knows that the farther south you go the hotter it gets. "He might have burned to a cinder, but he couldn't have died of cold"—that was as far as the local thinker ever got with that problem.
Now the by-word of the business house employee is, "What is a whale?" And the antiphonal response always is, "Ask Frank—he doesn't know either." Frank (we'll call him that) is painstakingly gathering information. He learns that the whale's manner of raising its young brands it as a mammal. He learns the whale is warm-

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WILSON IS RIGHT
Some people who are ready to criticize without due knowledge of the situation will condemn President Wilson's attitude toward the movement to plunge into the seething cauldron of Russian strife in an effort to capture the country from the Bolsheviks and thereafter restore the eastern battlefield against the Germans. The president favors the policy of peaceful penetration, realizing, as every sensible man must, that any attempt to invade Russia with a military force would cause the Bolsheviks to appeal to Germany for aid and put the latter in command of the situation and in control of Russian forces. That would enable Germany to draw upon the man power of Russia for her own sinister purposes.

There is encouragement in the announcement that a provisional government has been started in Siberia to fight the Bolsheviks and the Central powers. The headquarters will be at Vladivostok from which the aid of the Allies can be rendered by "peaceful penetration" or otherwise.
The army of Siberia will arouse no suspicion among the other states of Russia but it has aroused the Bolshevik leaders as appears from the fact that Trotsky says the government must adopt military conscription in order to overcome its enemies.
At the present time President Wilson is right in refusing to scatter the American forces to the extent of sending an army to Russia while troops are so badly needed on the western front and in Italy. The time may come when it will be advisable to adopt a different policy but until then the president will adhere to his declared intention of aid by peaceful methods until the time is more opportune for force.

BE YOUR OWN CHAUFFEUR
Mechanics are needed by Uncle Sam to keep trucks, automobiles, airplanes, etc., in perfect condition.
It will be hard to get them as long as they are kept busy "over here" working on the machines of individual owners who let small things grow into serious trouble because they do not want to make adjustments and look over their own machines.
Girls are working in factories and doing many things formerly done by men before the war. If they are willing to help win the war in this way it is up to the automobile owner to relieve the mechanic for government service.
If more personal attention were given by the owner there would be less demand for mechanics. Minor troubles and adjustments can be taken care of by any owner. Look after the small things and there will be less serious trouble developed.
Profit by the following suggestions and you, Mr. Owner, will find you are saving money to put into Thrift Stamps as well as relieving a mechanic for government work.
Keep plenty of oil in your motor, transmission and differential. Keep grease and oil cups filled.
See that your universal joints are well packed with grease.
Watch your brakes. Go over your car frequently and see that the body bolts as well as those in your transmission and differential case are tight. Loose bolts on the latter will permit oil to leak out.
If carbon starts to form, run your motor at a fair speed and, using a small rubber hose, run kerosene through the carburetor. This will burn out all carbon very satisfactorily. The smoke coming from the exhaust will be very heavy, therefore it is necessary to do this in the open.
See that your wheels have no side "play" and that they run true. This is not only hard on bearings, but takes hundreds of miles from the life of the tire.
All manufacturers issue instruction books for the care of their cars. Study your book carefully and follow the directions. There is no need for more important work "over there."

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bloated, that it comes up for air (or to play it's a fountain). That means the thing is an animal—but, no, it lives in the water and swims like a fish, and looks like a fish, too. Yes, by Jove, it is a fish—that is maybe!
At the present stage of his investigation Frank has arrived at this conclusion: "It is; it isn't." In which he is not much different from any other citizens. Only Frank refuses to dismiss the subject, from his mind.—Brookline Enterprise.

Hammer Welders
Here's a gag that goes The rounds of every Office. A new lad is Hired, and he shows Signs of handling the Goods and the old help Around the works give Him the glad hand, thus— "That new guy is a Comer. He's got the Cake. Watch his smoke, etc. The new rube is a diamond In the rough with all the Lads until he begins to Show some polish that Catches the boss' glances. Then the same lad turns The panning hose on him, And figure he's walking Away with part of their Cake. This is the way you Figure it. A new buddy in The office is all the fine Stuff as long as he doesn't Get off the rounds of the Lads. He started on, but As soon as he displays Signs of mooring up on An even notch with the Lads in every stumble of life Symptoms of going on up Past them, then the bias Takes a different tune. The same doc reads the same In their stumblings of life. You're all right with folks. When they've got the edge On you, but when you start Puncturing, the old pep bug That makes things look like It's gonna be rosy for you. Out comes a squad of double Barrel hammers to sound on Your, what they call, "Just luck!"

PICKY WASN'T FAR AWAY
Anyone who has priced piglets lately knows why: a well-known West Virginia woman found the sty empty. She offered a reward of a dol-

lar for the return of one small grant-er. The offer was made first to two youths who like the sound of real money, he is silver jangling or green plush softly crackling to the touch. Obtaining a description of the piglet, they set out immediately to beat the thickets of Cochesett. A youthful pig at large, they reasoned, would act much like a youth human—he'd make a bedline for the woods and fields.

After several hours with not even a bulletin from the front, the West Bridgewater woman began to despair. Then she spied a little chap with rather ragged clothes and a none too clean countenance. She hailed him, and again was heard the tuneful promise of cash money.
The urchin made no comparison between boy and boy-pig psychology; he got busy. First, he inspected the pigpen with its unlawful exit. Second, he spied out, near the unlawful exit, the print of a split hoof. Third, he found more prints, and followed them down through the garden. Fourth, he came upon the piglet, amid the growing vegetables—fast asleep in the sun. Fifth, he claimed and received the dollar, five minutes after the offer was made.

Sympathetic readers will not fail to applaud the drawing of the curtain upon the pain, surprise and disgust of two lads who wearily returned from far fields and woods to find the piglet again "cribbed and confined" and the dollar down.
The Gift of Bacchus
(A Legend.)
Some Nymphs there were who kept a Public School Upon an ancient island. Subject to Was one young merry-minded god Named Bacchus, who, having outgrown the rod, Bade farewell to the school and, in a boyish way, Sought some small souvenir to take away.
So, rooting up a wildling vine, said he, "Come, tender trifle! Come along with me." He knew not what its merit, what its fruit, But seeking to protect its naked root, He earthed it in a bird's skull, which he found Lying hard by upon the enchanted ground.
He voyaged homeward, but too soon his plant Found its slight soil and narrow cell too scant. So Bacchus sought again and picking A lion's skull he set one bony cup Within the other, filling up the space With that sweet mold, given of the forest's grace. And found in all the world no other place.
Again he journeyed and again the pot Failed to sustain the vine. Again he sought And this time found an ass's skull to hold The lion's and a gift of freshening mold.
So, bearing home the vine, thus triple-crowned, He thrust it, skulls and all, within the ground. And there it thrived and there it bore such fruit. As might inspire a poet and his lute. Or, by its prime perfection, make him mute.
Then Bacchus pressed the product of the vine And gave it, unto man and called it "Wine." Oh, Bacchus! by what tragic, magic malice Did you distill some savor of each bird? For first, man sips and sings like any bird; He drinks again—his lion-voice is heard. Surely a third libation—but alas! The third drink makes him nothing but an ass!

EDMUND VANCE COOKE, PRINCESS LODGE
At a recent meeting of the members of Princess Lodge, a dependent order of Daughters of St. George, the following officers were inducted into office:
President, Annie Northam; vice president, Bessie Fielding; recording secretary, Ann Haigh; financial secretary, Grace I. Aspinall; treasurer, Hannah M. Orrell; chaplain, Sarah Potter; first conductor, Edith Northam; assistant conductor, Nora Marshall; inside guard, Elizabeth Crumie; outside guard, Lillian Flint; trustee, Anna Tart. They were installed by District Deputy Grand President Margaret Partington and suite, of Lady Washington Lodge, 6, of Lawrence. The D.D.G.P., on behalf of Princess Lodge, presented the retiring past president, Ann Tart, a past president's gold pin. Clara Northam has been elected representative, and Elizabeth Green, alternate, to the grand lodge convention, which meets in Bridgeport, Conn., the last week in September.

WITH THE FIREMEN
An alarm from box 19 at 5:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to North Franklin court, for a slight roof fire. No damage.
A motorcycle ablaze in the Buick garage in Appleton street was responsible for the sounding of an alarm from box 22 at 8:55 o'clock last evening. The blaze was quickly extinguished and little damage was caused.

A Unique Call For Men
New York begins today a week's drive for men in response to a call unique in the history of war service. Gen. Pershing has asked the Y.M.C.A. to send him 4000 men above the draft age for very special duty. This city

is confidently expected to furnish a thousand of them.
Good men are wanted who are also good fellows. That is the general statement of the case. The job is that of helping to maintain the morale of our forces abroad; of keeping the fighting men clean and fit; of supplying comfort and, where needed, counsel; of being in all sorts of ways, behind the lines, friends, comrades and helpers.

Men are desired, for one thing, who have had experience in handling other men; who have big hearts, clear minds, mature judgment, cool tempers; the types of men who have made successful heads of industries and departments, good managers, good salesmen. But it is important that the body of 4000 shall be rich in fellows who can box; who can run and wrestle; who can play a good game at baseball or football; who can tell a good story, sing a song, lead a rousing chorus.

As has been said, Gen. Pershing's call is unique. It opens to straight-thinking, active men, aged 21 to 50, a sphere of personal energy and influence to the like of which there has been no such official summons. To be a man doing a real bit in this line of service will be splendid. And it will be war! Will New York really need a whole week to make response.—N. Y. World.

IRELAND'S PRESS CENSOR POPULAR
(By Associated Press.)
DUBLIN. (By Mail)—Seldom can a person burdened with the duties of an important censorship lay claim to any considerable degree of popularity, but Ireland possesses a press-censor who is really popular even with the men whose writings he is compelled to blue-pencil and criticize. The Irish press censor is Lord Decies, well known in the United States, and all classes of Irish newspapermen appear to be agreed that he is the right man for the place.

Lord Decies' censorship office is located on two upper floors in a building on Grafton street, Dublin—above the barber-shop and a billiard-room. Irishmen hate ceremony and uncer-

mony formality and Lord Decies is not in the least pompous or ceremonious. He is always ready to meet and talk with the men whose "copy" he censors, and when the business of the moment is finished, he is ready to chat with them for a few minutes on the favorite Irish topics of sport and horses, on both of which subjects he is an expert.
The key to Lord Decies' success as a censor, however, is probably that he has succeeded in convincing all classes of Irishmen whether Sinn Fein or Orangemen, of his absolute impartiality and fairness to both sides. One of the best tributes to his popularity is that he is occasionally the subject of newspaper jokes. He has pasted on the walls of his office some of the extraordinary letters and clippings which have reached him. In several of them he is jokingly addressed as "His Royal Highness, the Lord High Executioner of Copy, Dublin."

Lady Decies, his wife was Vivian Gould of New York.
Cocoanut Oil Makes A Splendid Shampoo
If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.
Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.
Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.
You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

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Final Mark Down!
Straw Hats at Prices to Clean the Cases
Every hat new—Correct in style—Superior in quality.

Sennet Sailors Sold up to \$3.00 for
Porto Ricans \$2.00
Genuine Toyos \$2.00
English Sennet Sailors Sold up to \$5.00 for \$3.00
Genuine South American Leghorns Sold up to \$7.00 for \$3.75

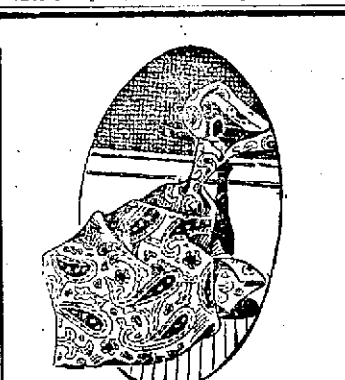
Clothes That Are Made From All Wool Materials, With Colors That Are Warranted Not to Fade
In these days of dye trouble it's worth a good deal to any man to know that the colors in his suit are fast, and that he can have his money back for any Roger-Pect or Society Brand Suit that changes color.
We are sole agents in Lowell for these fine suits. Prices from \$23.00 to \$35.00

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166 Central Street.

Make Me Prove That There Is Such A Thing As Painless Dentistry
No matter how nervous you are or how sensitive your teeth may be I can crown fill or extract them absolutely without pain. This is an actual fact. One trial will convince you.
MY PRICES ARE JUST 1/2 CHARGED YOU BY OTHER DENTISTS

FULL SET TEETH \$5.00
Gold Crowns.....\$3 and \$5
Bridge Work.....\$3 and \$5
Fillings.....50c up
PAINLESS EXTRACTING FREE
When Prices Are Ordered
No high prices in my office. Here in my office high grade, painless dentistry is given in hand with reasonable charges.

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ANTI-LOAFING

All Males in Massachusetts
Not Engaged in Useful
Work Must Register

Expect to Result in the Em-
ployment of Thousands of
Loafers

BOSTON, July 12.—Every male resident of Massachusetts between 18 and 50 years of age, must be engaged in a "useful" occupation, according to the terms of the Greenwood "anti-loafing" law, which went into operation today. In conjunction with the federal "work or fight" regulations, the law is expected by the authorities to result in the employment of thousands of men who are now either habitual loafers,

or engaged in occupations of doubtful worth.

Men who are not working or who are not doing "useful" work, were obliged to register with police officials today throughout the state. Efforts will be made to help them obtain useful employment and in the meantime they must report to the police weekly. Those who fail to register are liable to arrest after today.

What comprises useful work is not set forth in the law and police authorities have declined to define it in advance. Individuals have been left to decide their own cases until a test case has been made in the courts.

"WORK OR FIGHT" AND**"ANTI-LOAFING" LAWS**

Throughout Massachusetts there appears to be widespread confusion relative to the "work or fight" and the "anti-loafing" laws.

The "work or fight" is a federal law which gives the provost marshal general the authority to make regulations having the force of law as to the classification and treatment of men of draft age.

The "anti-loafing" statute was passed by the Massachusetts legislature on petition of Representative Fred P. Greenwood of Everett and provides

that men between 18 and 50 years of age must be engaged in some useful occupation at least 36 hours a week.

**JOHN ROBINSON'S CIRCUS
MADE BIG HIT**

Almost a century ago John Robinson conceived the idea of a travelling show for the amusement of the people, something out of the ordinary, something that would cause them to talk and wish for the same aggregation to return on the next year. In those days the entire outfit was moved from town to town on immense wagons, and as they rattled through the rough country highways the little communities were awakened to the fact that the great John Robinson circus, or caravan as it was then termed, was on its way to the next show place. From the start the enterprise was a success and the organization has never diverged from its original purpose of presenting an entertainment that would meet the approval of the particular public. The now great John Robinson railroad show was in Lowell yesterday and those who saw it are glad that it came, because during the two hour program there was presented a series of bewildering acts, special stage shows, animal acts, death defying stunts, and the odd antics of a score of clowns, wonderful horsemanship, and in fact a grand series of acts that held the attention to the fullest extent.

The show presents what it advert-

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Re-
move Them With Othine—
Double Strength

This preparation for the removal of freckles is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Be sure to ask the druggists for the double strength Othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

There were no disappointments. The show does not claim to be the largest show in the world but it is a grand entertainment organization with two big rings and an elevated stage, where the various numbers of the long and varied program are presented. Unlike many of the big shows those who do not occupy the reserved seat section are treated fully as well as the holders of the coupon seats as in front of the general admission sections there are presented equally sensational acts as those in any other sections of the show. This consideration was one which brought special favorable comment.

During the assembly of the patrons in the big tent there is presented a high class musical program by the Robinson Consolidated band. This is followed by the rendition of the National Anthem and the unfurling of an immense American flag. From that moment and after the master of ceremonies blows his whistle the big amphitheatre becomes a seething scene of life. There is a grand parade of blooded stock well mounted and all in spectacular surroundings, presenting Arabs, Egyptians, men of the desert, camels and elephants and others familiar to ancient Asia.

The remainder of the program is such as to hold the closest of attention. The two vast ring arenas are active with life, and fairly teem with acrobatic stunts, almost superhuman feats of equine agility that are bewildering. The horse show alone is well worth the price of admission, as in the lot are several handsome steeds the equal of which has never been seen here. In this list may be mentioned Madam Bedeni, on a handsome black horse, in wonderful presentations covering a long series of unusual events. To Madam Bedeni should be given the credit of training all of the school of trained horses with the show.

It would be quite impossible to go

WHITE SALE

Newark

Women's Pumps & Oxfords—Sea Island Duck

\$1.95

\$3.50 Values—So stamped on every pair

Take Notice!
This Sale Ends
A Week From Tomorrow!

They Were All \$3.50—Your Choice Now \$1.95

GREAT opportunity for our customers to secure the most distinctive creations of the season in White Pumps and Oxfords @ \$1.95 per pair.

Mind you, these have been \$3.50 all season—and immensely popular at this price, because they were by far the best \$3.50 values in town.

Made of snow white Sea Island with Mock turned soles and pretty French heels.

This sale for seven days only, so make your choice at once.

Newark Shoe Stores Co.

5 CENTRAL STREET NEAR MERRIMACK

Open Monday and Saturday Nights Till 10:00

— 257 Stores in 97 Cities —

A Great Bargain.
Newark Striped Silk Hose in various colors, \$2.00 value—during this Sale per pair, **\$1.39**
NOTE—Not more than 2 pair sold to one customer

Owls' Carnival

WAR FUND BENEFIT

ONE WHOLE WEEK, COMMENCING

MONDAY, JULY 15th

Lakeview Ave. Grounds

ATTRACTIONS FURNISHED BY

Williams' Standard Shows

12—BIG SHOWS—12

3—RIDING DEVICES—3

40—CONCESSIONS—40

FREE ACTS

BANDS

DO NOT CONFUSE THIS SHOW WITH SHOWS
SEEN HERE IN THE PAST

**CANOPIE LAKE
PARK**

OPEN AIR THEATRE

Afternoon and Evening

FRIDAY

DOROTHY DALTON in
"THE PRICE MARK"

SATURDAY

George Beban in "Lost in
Transit"

ROUND TRIP FARE

35c

Tickets on Sale at
DOWS THE DRUGGIST
2 Merrimack Square

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

TODAY AND SATURDAY

"VIVETTE"

A cute little girl with golden hair, that is

VIVIAN MARTIN

See all those who are regular drones brought
"Down to Earth" by Douglas Fairbanks
You'll laugh as you never laughed before.

FINAL
CHAPTER

"Boy Scouts to the Rescue"

**THE
OWL THEATRE**

Just one round of solid picture entertainment. Not some
of the time but all of the time.

A dime a time in the afternoon. 10-15 cents at night.
TONIGHT—FRIDAY—SATURDAY

JACK PICKFORD ASSISTED BY
MISS LOUISE HUFF

In the Jesse L. Lasky's Paramount Picture Production

"THE VARMIT"

SPECIAL EXTRA ADDED DRAMATIC PRODUCTION

PRISCILLA DEAN ? Which Woman? ELLA HALL

The Double Star Screen Masterpiece.
GREAT COMEDY SCREEN MAGAZINE

Coming Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
"THE UNBELIEVER"

Another Example of Our Serial Supremacy Beginning This Week-End and for the Next Fifteen Weeks,
Vingraph Will Offer Its New Chapter Play—

"Fight for Millions"

FIRST GREAT EPISODE TODAY AND TOMORROW

"The Screen Theatre"



The Co-Stars of the Serial

TODAY—LAST EPISODE OF
"THE WOMAN IN
THE WEB"

The New Vitaphone Serial of Amazing
Adventures

ROYAL

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

One of These Shows That
You'll Remember for Months
to Come

The Feature Brings

Margery Wilson

In the 5-Act Triangle Play

"WITHOUT
HONOR"

Added Attractions

15th Episode of "THE EAGLE
EYE" TOGO Comedy and
Others.



WILLIAM DUNCAN, Star of the
New Serial Play

**Out-of-the-Way Theatre
CROWN**

MAGIC NAMES

REAL STARS—REAL PLAYS

KITTY GORDON and

MADGE EVANS

—In—

"THE BELOVED ADVENTURE"

A 5-Act World Drama

FOX SUNSHINE COMEDY

Another of These Smashing,
Dashing, Astounding Hits

PEARL WHITE and

ANTONIO MORENO

In an Episode of Pathe's Serial
"THE HOUSE OF HATE"

FRANK GOTCH

SPORTS! Here's your chance to see
a world beater at his best for a 10c
ADMISSION TOMORROW ALL DAY
and ALL FOR TODAY.

THE KASINO

Honey Boy Quartet Friday Night

Dancing Every Night

MARKHAM'S ORCHESTRA

**DR. DONLAN PREPARED
TO USE FORCE**

BOSTON, July 12.—"The battle of
Long Island" is scheduled today to
take its place as a decisive engage-
ment in the bitter war that is being
waged by the board of infirmity trust-
ees and Dr. Charles E. Donlan as to
who is boss at the municipal hospital
and almshouse.

As the grand finale to the spirited
hearings of Tuesday and Wednesday,
the infirmity trustees last night
issued a formal communique to the ef-
fect that Dr. Donlan was removed for
all time from his position as superin-
tendent of the island institutions.

Prepared to Use Force

And this proclamation carried with
it the board's authority for Thomas
E. Masterson, the newly elected chair-
man, to take possession of the island
as the acting superintendent. But Dr.
Donlan, through his attorney, Joseph
Lundy, announced that the board had
pulled several bloomers in failing to
observe legal requirements in the mat-
ter of his removal, and that a warm
reception will surely be accorded Mas-
terson this morning if he attempts to
rule the destinies of the almshouse
and hospital.

In brief, a merry clash of authority
is impending between Dr. Donlan and
Masterson.

Attorney Lundy, after citing the
shortcomings of the trustees and the
legal phase of the situation, declared
last night that inasmuch as Dr. Don-
lan had not been lawfully removed he
would at the morning resume the official
charge of Long Island, "Masterson or
no Masterson."

"Dr. Donlan will brook no inter-
ference with his duties by Masterson or
any other member of the board of
trustees, and if matters warrant such
action he will order any person who
obstructs him removed from the island,
by force if necessary," declared At-
torney Lundy last night.

Chairman Masterson and his associ-
ates vow they and not Dr. Donlan are
the rightful custodians of Long Island,
and their attitude indicates that Mas-
terson has been instructed to go the
limit.

ENID BENNETT

—In—

"A Desert Wooing"

A Very Interesting Picture

ALSO SHOWING

JACK LIVINGSTON

—In—

"Who is to Blame"

A Colorful Romance of Japan
and America

HEARST PATHE WEEKLY

COMEDY

Strand

POSITIVELY THE COOLEST
THEATRE IN TOWN—

DON'T MISS SEEING

"THE YELLOW TICKET"

(6 Parts) Better and Bolder Than the Stage
Production, Featuring

FANNY WARD And All-Star Cast

THE LEE CHILDREN
In "WE SHOULD WORRY"—(4 Reels)
A Smashing Comedy Drama
Positively the Coolest Theatre
in town

LOWELL DOCTORS GO TO FORT OGLETHORPE

Dr. Joseph Kearney and Dr. Archibald R. Gardner, both well known as practitioners in this city, will leave Lowell tonight to report for duty in the medical reserve corps at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. The doctors recently received their commissions in the corps and were instructed to await orders to report for duty.

COUSINS ENLIST IN COAST ARTILLERY

Harold H. Cox and Arthur Cox, cousins, enlisted at the local regular army recruiting station this morning and were forwarded to Boston for the coast artillery corps. They lived at 13 Dutton street.

Abram A. Fishman, Lawrence, landman for electrician, radio, and Royal T. Mc Cloughrey, 770 Bridge street, seaman, 2nd class, were the navy station's contributions.

The minimum height requirements for the regular army service has been advanced from 61 inches to 63 inches. However, the weight and eye requirements have been reduced a little.

COBURN'S PURE GODS

Coburn's
WITCH HAZEL
The Strongest
Disinfectant
Pint 25c

Imported
BAY RUM
Triple Distilled
Pint 65c

C. B. COBURN CO.
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Free City Delivery

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN GROCERIES

Imported Olive Oil and Macaroni.
Full line of Fruits, Candles and
Tobacco.
Joe and Susie Carpenito
152-154 GORHAM ST.

MILLARD F. WOOD JEWELER—104 Merrimack St.

Military Watches

Just received a complete new line of Military Watches, round, cushion, and octagon shapes, in gold filled, silver and nickel cases, khaki and leather straps. These watches are all inspected and guaranteed by us. Waltham, Elgin, Illinois and Swiss manufacture. A good line of military kits and money belts also for our boys.

LAKEVIEW PARK Free Attraction, Week of July 15 EVERY AFTERNOON AND EVENING DENNIS BROS., SENSATIONAL HIGH WIRE ARTISTS

LAKEVIEW PARK Two Free Band Concerts NEXT SUNDAY All This Week, Twice a Day, Dancing and Heliott's Performing Bears. Other Attractions.

AN OPEN INVITATION TO EVERY WOMAN OF LOWELL AND VICINITY TO THE OPENING OF OUR NEW STORE Saturday, July 13th, 1918

We've prepared a revelation for you when this new millinery store opens tomorrow. The prism of fashion has scattered rays of inspiration into every nook and corner of this truly wonderful shop, and we want you to pass judgment on same. Come to our opening.

REMEMBER—A NEW STORE, NEW STOCKS

Everything up to the minute from the world's best designers and creators of Fashionable Millinery.

In point of merchandise, facility for display, variety of stocks, dependable character, value for price, and liberality to customers, we have determined that no other store in Lowell shall surpass us.

Mrs. Lena Bellehumeur
Miss B. F. Cryan,
Proprietors.
COR. KIRK AND MERRIMACK STS.

Miss Jennie E. Locke,
Mrs. Victoria Lavalley
Clerks.
LOWELL, MASS.

An \$11 Pen For 2 Cents

We will award a Beautiful Gold Mounted Crocker Ink-Tite Fountain Pen to the person writing legibly the greatest number of times on a United States Postal Card (using one side only) the following sentence:

THE CROCKER
Ink-Tite Fountain Pen
—IS FOR SALE BY—
G. C. PRINCE & SON, Inc.

All cards must be written in ink, and must contain the name of the Contestant. Contest closes Aug. 15, 1918. Send all cards to

G.C. PRINCE & SON
—INCORPORATED—
STATIONERS
106-108 Merrimack Street,
Lowell, Mass.

CAR STOLEN AT THE POLICE STATION

Some believe that the parking place near the police station in Market street is a safe place to park an automobile, but the officials of the United States Cartridge Co. are not of the same opinion and they have reason to be a little pessimistic, for yesterday afternoon one of their automobiles, a five-passenger Ford touring car, was stolen from that spot and the thief and the machine are still at large.

The automobile was parked near the police station in the early part of the afternoon and a few minutes later a man came along, gave the automobile crank a couple of twists, starting the engine and then after comfortably seating himself at the wheel, backed the car out and disappeared.

"The police haven't any way of knowing who's who, so far as cars are concerned," said a police officer today, "and it is not their business to ask every man who enters a car if the car belongs to him. It is up to the owners to look after their cars and the simplest way is to lock them."

Please Take Notice!

Alteration Sale Now Going On at George E. Mongeau's SHOE STORE

To the thrifty people that know us, enough said.
For the benefit of those that do not, this will explain.
TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF OXFORDS
will have to move to make room for workmen.
Men's, Women's and Children's Oxfords of every
description will be sold below cost.

OBSERVANCE OF FRENCH NATIONAL HOLIDAY

An important meeting of Carillon council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A. was held last evening with President Alexandre Thurber in the chair. The meeting was largely attended and the most important item of business brought to the attention of the assembly was the question of a celebration in observance of the French national holiday next Sunday. The question was discussed at every angle and it was decided that the time in which to prepare for a celebration was too brief, and it was finally voted to instruct one of the members, Joseph F. Montminy, to call on Mayor Thompson today and request him to deliver an address on the South common Sunday evening and also to secure, if possible, the services of another prominent speaker.

Onesime Tremblay and Louis J. Cornslier were appointed delegates to the district convention of the union, which will be held at Springfield, Oct. 15 and 16, and Aime Plourde and A. Verville were elected alternates. J. U. Morin tendered his resignation as treasurer of the council and A. Verville was elected to fill the vacancy.

SANFORDS GINGER

Helps digestion that goes on during sleep. Take a dose at bedtime. Intestinal indigestion is a common cause of sleeplessness. Always healthful.

Look for the Owl Trade Mark on the wrapper. Let you get a cheap, worthless substitute. Forty-five years the standard of purity, flavor and strength. Sold everywhere.

MEETING FOR GIRLS AND YOUNG WOMEN

There will be a mass meeting of girls and young women of the city Sunday afternoon in Associate hall at 3 o'clock. The meeting is called by the League of Catholic Women. It is the wish of the league that all girls join the Girls' Patriotic league, a branch of the women's war work committee of the council of national defense. Miss Mary A. S. Mugan, director of the Girls' Patriotic league of Fall River, will be the speaker of the afternoon. Plans will be made whereby girls may take advantage of the recreational opportunities which the summer is offering.

NEW HEADQUARTERS FOR BOARD OF TRADE

It is expected that the executive committee of the board of trade will close the deal for new quarters today and the place to be selected, it is stated, will be the second floor of the Bascom block in Merrimack street near the corner of Palmer street, now owned by Charles L. Richardson of the Five Cent Savings bank.

The floor is divided into five rooms and will make ideal quarters for such an organization as the board of trade inasmuch as the board has taken upon itself the task of housing the various war work organizations of the city. The board has two or three other good sites in view, but the second floor of the Bascom block seems to have the preference for the location is a good one and but little alteration will be necessary.

GET BUSY AND PAY YOUR POLL TAX

Have you paid your poll tax yet? If not, get busy at once or you may be served with a trustee sooner than you expect. The unpaid tax bills have been turned over to the Lowell constables with little papers commonly called warrants, and the constables mean business, particularly this year when there is so much money on the market.

One of the constables, who has in his custody several hundred unpaid poll tax bills stated this morning that the constabulary force of Lowell are going right out to swell the treasury of the city. He said there is no excuse for a delinquent taxpayer this year, for everyone is working and receiving good wages. "We will not play hide-and-go-seek with any delinquent this year," he said, "and we will collect the taxes in very short time even if we have to have recourse to trustees."

The number of tax bills turned over to the constables this year is 6765 against 7233 last year, but it was learned at the city treasurer's office that about 1000 soldiers who are in the service are exempt from taxation. The amount to be collected by the constables on each tax bill is \$2.93, divided as follows: Tax bill, \$2; interest, 8 cents and cost, 76 cents.

French Capture Longpont Continued

on a large scale, but it is not impossible that the feeling out operations, which are in progress on both the British and French fronts have other than a purely defensive purpose.

British Raids in Flanders

Last night's actions on the British front were all in the nature of scouting operations. The majority of them were on the Flanders front, where during the day, yesterday, Field Marshal Haig's men had conducted a raid in force in the vicinity of Merris, northeast of the Nieppe wood, on the road to the railway junction of Hazebrouck, bringing in more than 120 prisoners. Additional raids last night in the Metz and Kemmel sectors on this front, resulted in the taking of more prisoners.

Artillery Active North of Verdun
On the assumption that the Germans, if they decide to open their attack on a new front, will resume their offensive will strike somewhere between Rheims and Lorraine, some interest may be attached to the report in the French official statement today that the enemy artillery is displaying rather marked activity on the front northwest of Verdun within this area.

French patrols have penetrated enemy positions near Bussalres, south of Corcy, the scene of the latest French gain which the Germans have made no attempt to dispute. On the Marne front, American troops have routed a German patrol which attempted a raid. On this front as well as on most of the British front from Ypres to the Somme the weather has been rainy and stormy.

Capture of American Planes
Aerial operations also have suffered from the unfavorable atmospheric conditions and artillery activity has decreased. Berlin claims that five airplanes out of an American squadron of six which attempted to raid Coblenz fell into German hands, the crew being made prisoners. British airmen have dropped bombs on Offenbourg, a manufacturing town southwest of Karlsruhe, Germany.

Austrians Still in Retreat

Austrian forces in eastern Albania continue to retire before the pressure of the advancing Franco-Italian detachments. In the Tomorica valley, the enemy is fleeing northward before the French, who have reached the valley from the east and occupied several villages. Italian troops on the west, have occupied the commanding peak of Glumakia, capturing 150 prisoners. This height commands the district between Berat and the Tomorica.

Report Bolshevik Victory

Bolshevik troops are reported having gained successes over the Czech-Slovak troops before Russia and Siberia. It is claimed the Czechs have been driven from towns on the Volga, both northeast and southeast of Moscow. General Muraviev, commander of the Bolshevik forces operating against the Czechs, has committed suicide, according to an official Russian wireless despatch after a futile attempt to start a counter movement against the Bolsheviks.

Western Siberia, Pekin advices say, is virtually all in firm control of the Czech-Slovak forces, who held 1300



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French Capture the Village of Longpont
PARIS, July 15.—The village of Longpont, on the Savieres river east of Villers-Cotterets, has been captured by the French, says the official statement from the war office today.

The French also continued their progress north of Chavigny farm and east of Faverolles, Javege farm, northeast of Faverolles also was occupied.

FURTHER SUCCESSFUL RAIDS BY BRITISH

LONDON, July 12.—Further raiding operations were carried out by British troops last night, notably in the Flanders area, near Merris and Mothen, the war office announced today. Prisoners were taken in a patrol encounter

in the Kemmel sector on this front. Another British party raided the German lines near Hamel, south of the Somme. A patrol clash in the neighborhood of Gavrelle, northeast of Arras, also resulted in the taking of prisoners.

In their operation in the vicinity of Merris, the British took 129 prisoners.

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Boston & Maine Takes First Step in Big Railroad Development Here

Asks Authority for Taking of the Land by Right of Eminent Domain

(Special to The Sun.)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, July 12.—The first step in the big \$1,000,000 railroad development at Lowell was taken yesterday, when the Boston & Maine railroad company, as lessee of the Lowell and Nashua railroad company, filed with the public service commission a request that the commission make a finding that the public necessity requires the taking of certain land.

The land which is to be taken consists of nineteen parcels, on the south side of the railroad tracks, and extending from a point east of Baldwin street to a point west of Edwards street. At the Baldwin street end the strip to be taken is very narrow, but at the other end it widens out to a considerable width, as will be noted

WAR WORK

Massachusetts Now Has 129,600 Men in Armed Forces of Nation

BOSTON, July 12.—An analysis of war workers and man power for the state of Massachusetts, just sent to Washington by direction of the United States department of labor, contains from a reading of the list of owners whose property the road desires to take.

Reading from east to west, the owners are:—Wilhelmina and Paula Mendlik, Harriet S. Smith, The Costikyan Carpet Corporation, Joseph P. Coile, Isale Gauthier, Deborah Boudreau, Mary A. and Susan E. Tyler, Samuel P. Hadley, Channing A. Frost, Sarah Stack, Fisher H. Pearson, Joseph H. Clough, Jerry and Marie LaFrance, Lillie S. Cutler, Orestes M. Pratt, the Ayer mills, Addie E. Cashin and Thos. J. Roche.

In certain cases the railroad company does not intend taking the entire parcel of land owned by each owner, but in every case it states that it has been unable to agree with the owner upon a price to be paid for the land desired, and therefore it becomes necessary for the public service commission to authorize a taking by right of eminent domain; under such a procedure, the amount to be paid will probably be determined by a jury.

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figures and facts that will open the eyes of the whole country to the splendid sacrifice and efficient work of the old Bay State in the present gigantic struggle.

The report was prepared by the director for Massachusetts of the United States Employment Service, William A. Gaston, and is signed by him. It is sent to Director-General J. B. Densmore of the United States Employment Service at Washington at his request.

129,600 in Service

A summary, giving the number of males engaged in gainful occupations by groups, 18 years or over, tells a significant story in itself.

The figures are as follows:

Military service	129,600
Agriculture, forestry and animal husbandry	80,575
Extraction of minerals	2,246
Transportation	114,961
Manufacturing and mechanical	611,360
Trade	170,873
Industries	37,243
Public service	49,689
Professional service	63,918
Domestic and personal service	70,280
Clerical occupations	1,340,754

In the above statement the figures given are as of June 30, 1918, as compared with the 1915 census, increased by 10 per cent. The problem of unemployment, which in normal times, previous to the war was supposed to represent a factor of 3.5 per cent. is not considered.

On the best information available it is estimated that 40 per cent. at least, of the wage-earners in Massachusetts

under class 5 (mechanical and manufacturing industries) are engaged on war work," says the report.

"For the other classes there are no statistics available, and it is obviously

extremely difficult to formulate any general statement of conditions."

771,205 Wage-Earners

The report states that "according to the 1916 census of manufacturers in Massachusetts, persons under 18 years of age constituted approximately 7 per cent of the total number of employees engaged in manufacturing enterprises. While, obviously, this percentage can not be applied as holding true to all of the nine occupational groups specified, it may at least be applied to Group 5 (the principal group enumerated) since those in the 'mechanical industries' as distinct from 'manufacturing' would constitute only a small percentage of the aggregate number in Group 5."

The total number of wage earners for the state aggregate 771,205. These are those paid on time basis or by piece work. So called salaried employees earning \$1200 or over are not included. On a percentage basis, these figures give us the following:

Males, 18 years of age and over. 66.7%
Females, 18 years of age and over. 26.3%
Young persons, under 18 years. 7%
The figures are again verified by official authority, giving seven per cent for young persons under 18 years of age.

Adults, 666,850, or 87.7 per cent.

Young persons, under 18 years. 77,355, or 10 per cent.
Of the adult workers, males constituted 71 per cent and females 29 per cent, while of the young persons approximately 49 per cent were males and 51 per cent females. We can, therefore, use this figure of 7 per cent as a working basis for estimating the number of males under 18 years of age employed in industry, with modifications based on observation and a general understanding of conditions."

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Members of Lowell Nest of Owls are requested to be on the grounds at Lakeview Carnival without fail, Monday evening at 6:30, and report to

R. J. FLYNN.

Daily Bulletin from War Work Headquarters
119 Merrimack Street

LOWELL'S HONOR ROLL, LOWELL'S SERVICE ROLL, AND LOWELL'S SERVICE STAR ROLL

See that your soldier's name and his unit are on the Service Roll at 119 Merrimack street, and also that his relatives and those entitled to the Service Flag also are on the Service Star Roll at 119 Merrimack street. This record must be made complete, as it will be dedicated to the City of Lowell and finally presented for preservation. We aim for an Official Record. Keep War Work Headquarters supplied with the correct information.

COMPULSORY WORK LAW. Inquire here for particulars. Registration on July 12 for those not usefully employed.

FIELD GLASSES WANTED for the government to use as "Eyes for the Navy."

We sell **WAR SAVINGS STAMPS, THRIFT STAMPS and SMILEAGE BOOKS.**

Anyone who has a three-burner kerosene stove with an oven, and who is willing to loan it to the Food Conservation Committee for demonstration work, will please notify Miss Everett, at War Work Headquarters.

ANY WOMAN wishing to learn the cold pack method of canning, by doing the work under instruction, may bring material for one jar of each kind to the War Work Headquarters. Please communicate with Miss Everett, who will plan a class.

Don't eat so much of the things **THE BOYS NEED** on the other side. Please take note of what we should limit ourselves to:—

MEAT (including chicken and poultry): Two pounds per person per week (including bones and trimmings.) Use beef very sparingly or not at all.

WHEAT FLOUR and WHEAT PRODUCTS: None if possible; otherwise, six pounds per person per month.

SUGAR (including granulated, lump, brown and powdered): Three pounds per person per month.

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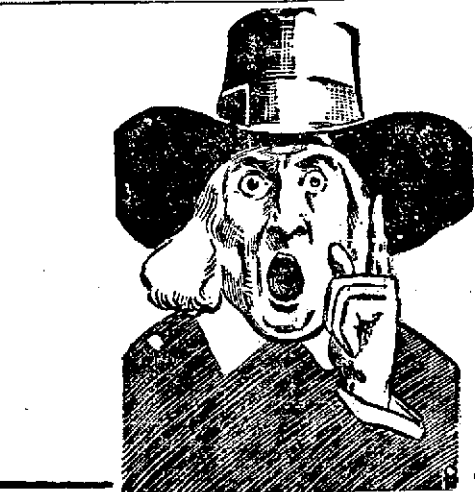
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Selected Eggs, doz..... 43c	35c Boneless Pot Roast... 29c lb.
Uneda, pkg..... 7 1/2c	35c Chuck Roasts..... 30c lb.
	43c Fresh Fowl..... 39c lb.
	25c Smoked Shoulders... 23c lb.

Star Specials

30c Sweetened Cocoa..... 19c lb.	
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12c Kellogg Krumbles..... 8c pkg.	Native Green Peas..... 75c pk.
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Pearl Buttons, were 5c, **1c Dozen**

Ladies' Fancy Parasols, value \$2.00..... **98c**
50 dozen Shirt Waists, white or black, value \$1.50..... **98c**
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